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Reserve Funds ..... Rs. 11,21,541

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Reserve Liability of Shareholders ... £562,500
Reserve Fund £550,000

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Interest allowed at 2 per cent. on the actual daily balances up to Rs. 1 lakh.

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FIXED DEPOSITS.

Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

The Bank undertakes on behalf of its Constituents the purchase and sale of Government Securities. Stocks and Shares, and receives same for Safe Custody, realising interest and Dividends when due.

J. B. CRICHTON,
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Capital Subscribed ..... Rs. 20,00,000
Capital Paid-up ..... Rs. 10,00,000
Reserve Fund ..... Rs. 4,50,000

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.

Interest allowed on daily balance from Rs. 300 to Rs. 1,000 at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum and on sums over Rs. 1,00,000 by special arrangement. No interest which does not come to Rs. 3 per year will be allowed.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

Amounts for 12 months are received at 4½ per cent. and for other periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.

LOANS, OVERDRAFTS AND CASH-CREDITS.

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Manager.

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Bankers to the Government in Busra.

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NOTICES.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Probate of the last Will and Testament of GODAVERMAL SHENKARAN, of Bombay Marwari Hindu Inhabitant, and landed proprietor residing at Khetwadi without the Fort .....Deceased.

RATANCHAND SOORAJMAL, of Bombay Marwari Hindu Inhabitant, landed proprietor, residing at Khetwadi, without the Fort, executor of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased .....Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Probate.

Witness SIR BASIL SCOTT, Knight, Chief Jstice at Bombay aforesaid this twentieth day of June in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen and in the seventh year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) A. M. KAJIJI,
Registrar.

(Sd.) P. B. Malbari.

The 20th day of June, 1916.

Messrs. MOTICHAND AND DEVIDAS,

4481 Petitioner's Attorneys.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the seas King Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of RADHABAI, wife of HARIRAM JETHABHAI, of Bombay Luvana Hindu Inhabitant, residing at De Souza Street, outside the Fort. ..... Deceased.

HARIRAM JETHABHAI, of Bombay Luvana Hindu Inhabitant, Merchant, husband of the abovenamed deceased residing at De Souza Street outside the Fort, Bombay. ..... Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir BASIL SCOTT KNIGHT, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this twenty-eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and sixteen and in the seventh year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) A. M. KAJIJI,
Registrar.

(Sd.) P. B. MALABARI,

The 28th day of June, 1916.

Messrs. BHIMJI & Co.,

4486 Petitioner's Attorneys.

NOTICES.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

FOR SALE.

SEALED OFFERS will be received upto 17th July, 1916, by the DIRECTOR, ROYAL INDIAN MARINE, for the purchase of the following boat belonging to the Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay:—

No.	Name.	Description.	When built.	Dimensions. Length.	Dimensions. Breadth.	Tonnage.	Draft.
1	"Peregrine"	Lateen Rig:	1897	ft. in. 41 0	ft. in. 13 0	28	ft. in. 3 6 Ford. 4 0 Aft.

Purchaser must remove the vessel from the Government Dockyard or moorings within fortnight of purchase at his own expense and risk.

Dismantling will not be permitted in the Government Dockyard or moorings.

Twenty-five per cent. of purchase money to be paid immediately on acceptance of tender; balance within a fortnight of purchase and before vessel is removed from Dockyard or moorings.

Should the balance be not paid and the vessel not removed within the time specified the deposit of 25 per cent. would be forfeited for the benefit of the Crown and the launch resold.

Application to view the vessel may be made to the Superintendent of this Yard.

The Director does not bind himself to accept the highest or any offer.

N. F. J. WILSON,
For Director, Royal Indian Marine.

Royal Indian Marine Dockyard,
Bombay, 26th June, 1916. 4468

NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN FREDERICK BRADBURY ..... Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons claiming debts or liabilities affecting the estate of the abovenamed John Frederick Bradbury deceased, who died at Bombay, on or about the 1st day of March, 1916, and Probate of whose Will having effect through out British India was granted on the 26th day of June, 1916, by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay to ELIZA BRADBURY, the widow of the said deceased and John Knowles two of the Executors in the said Will named (reserving the right of John Schofield Butterworth and John William Cook the other Executors named in the said Will to apply for Probate) are hereby required to send in their claims to the said Eliza Bradbury and John Knowles at the office of their Attorneys Messrs. Crawford Brown & Co., at No. 24, Esplanade Road, Bombay, within one calendar month from the date hereof at the expiration of which time the said Executors will hand over the assets to the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.

Dated this 28th day of June, 1916.

CRAWFORD, BROWN & Co.,

4483 Attorneys for the Executors.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

SUPPLY OF PORTLAND CEMENT DURING THE YEAR 1916-17.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by THE AGENT at his office at Victoria Terminus, Bombay, up to 1 p.m. (S. T.), on WEDNESDAY, 12th July, 1916, for the supply of 4,500 barrels of PORTLAND CEMENT, delivered at the Company's General Stores, Parel, as required during the official year ending 31st March, 1917.

2. The cement to be in accordance with British standard specification, and Tenderers should state the brand quoted for.

3. Tenders should be accompanied by a deposit of 10 per cent. of the value of cement tendered for with a maximum of Rs. 1,000 without which no Tender will be considered.

4. No printed Form of Tender will be issued, but intending Tenderers should tender on their own Forms or by letter.

5. The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

G. R. WEBB,
General Storekeeper.

Fergusson Road,
Bombay, 13th June, 1916. 4349

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of BAI GULAB, widow of TRIBHAWANDAS HARIBHAI, of Bombay Bania Hindu Inhabitant. ..... Deceased.

Bai SHIVGANGA, widow of MANUBHAI THAKORDAS, of Surat Bania Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Gopipura Main Road, one of the neices-in-law of the said deceased. ..... Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir BASIL SCOTT, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this fifteenth day of June in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen and in the seventh year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) A. M. KAJIJI,
Registrar.

P. B. MALABARI,

The 15th day of June, 1916.

Messrs. PANDIA & Co.,

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UNIVERSITY EXAMINERSHIPS.

IT is hereby notified that at a meeting to be held shortly, the Syndicate will proceed to make appointments to Examinerships at the University Examinations in Commerce, Law and Medicine to be held in October next, when they will be glad to consider any applications that may have been received by the Registrar not later than FRIDAY, the 14th July, 1916.

2. If any of the applicants are themselves going up for any of these Examinations, or have relatives who are going up for any Examination at which they seek to examine, or are coaching students for the Examinations at which they wish to be appointed Examiners, they are requested to state so in their applications.

3. Forms of application and other particulars regarding the Examinerships may be obtained from the office of the undersigned.

By Order,
FARDUNJI M. DASTUR,
University Registrar.

University Office,
Bombay, 23rd June, 1916. 4482

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TO-MORROW FRIDAY, the 30th instant at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.), Messrs. MEHTA and Co. Auctioneers, will sell by Auction at Sewri Bunder, by order of Seth Hemraj Jamnadas:—

About 50 Tons Wallace Indian First Class Teak Squares.

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On THURSDAY, the 6th July, at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.), Messrs. MEHTA and Co., Auctioneers, will sell by Public Auction without reserve and to the highest bidder at their Rooms at 53, Medows Street, Fort, (First floor opposite the Oak Lane) an Invoice just received of a regular set of Brand New Safes from the well-known safe manufacturers Messrs. Thos. and Company consisting of the following Very High class Fire and Burglar resisting bent iron safes fitted with Tosh special 8 Lever Locks and secret contrivanced drawers:—

1 Iron Safe 38 by 24 by 24.
1 Iron Safe 34 by 24 by 24.
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1 Iron Safe 24 by 20 by 18.
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On FRIDAY, the 30th instant, at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.), Messrs. MEHTA & Co., Auctioneers are instructed to sell by public Auction at Wadi Bundar Goods Depot of the G. I. P. Railway by order of the G. I. P. Railway Co.

26 Full Pressed Bales of Cotton slightly damaged by Fire and Water.

A deposit of 50 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

MEHTA, and Co.,
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Bombay, 29th June, 1916.

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Kirloskar Sangit Dramatic Company
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AUCTION SALE of the Machinery, Machines, Implements, Tools, etc., of the Victoria Iron Works with its goodwill at Trimbak Parsram Street otherwise known as 6th Koombharwada Lane.

Under instructions from Messrs. Muga Jagonnath and Co., the Transferees of the Indentures of Mortgage, dated the 29th day of June, 1914, and the 17th day of February, 1915, and made between the Mortgagor Motilal Ramji of the one part and Keshavlal Gordhandas and others, and Ramchand Govinram, respectively of the other part, and on account and at the risk of the Mortgagor Motilal Ramji in exercise of the Power of Sale reserved to the Mortgagees under the said two Mortgage Deeds, Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co., Auctioneers will on SATURDAY the 1st day of July 1916, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.), sell by Public Auction on the premises.

All the machinery, machines, implements, tools, articles and things of the iron factory belonging to the Mortgagor Motilal Ramji, known as Victoria Iron Works and situate in certain hired premises at Nos. 96-97-98, Trimbak Parsram Street, otherwise known as the 6th Koombharwada Lane, a particular specification whereof is given in the below mentioned Schedule.

One Harnsle Oil Engine, 8 H.-P., one mining machine of Greaves Cotton, one lathe machine of 10 feet of Greaves Cotton one lathe machine 8 feet of John Minnit, one drill machine of Greaves Cotton, one punch machine of Greaves Cotton, one screw cutting machine of Greaves Cotton, one sarran machine, shafting, pullies and other tools implements and miscellaneous articles and things with its goodwill.

The purchaser will have immediately to remove the machinery etc., on payment of cash.

For further particulars and conditions of sale applications may be made to Messrs. Jamsedjee Rustomjee and Devidas Attorneys for the Transferees, at their Office, No. 5, Bell Lane, Fort, or to the Undersigned.

J. S. MODY & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 29th June, 1916.

MESSRS. K. A. READY-MONEY & CO.

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Messrs. K. A. READYMONEY & CO., auctioneers will sell by public auction on FRIDAY, the 30th instant at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.), at their auction rooms at Green Street, opposite the Bank of Bombay, household furniture, Jewellery, Iron safes cash boxes, gold and silver watches and etc., such as almirahs, dumbwaiters, dressing chest of drawers, washing tables, dressing tables, writing tables, arm chairs, easy chairs, low arm chairs, curzon chairs, leather sofas, leather easy chairs, teapoys, drawing room sets of sofas and chairs, bookstands, cash boxes, iron safes, alarm timepieces, wall clocks, gold and silver wristlets, pearl molar, earrings, pearl bangles, raifuls, diamond roses, emerald rings, collar buttons, rings, etc.

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WEATHER REPORT

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, June 28.

Light rain reappeared in the north-east of the Peninsula but otherwise the break in the Arabian Sea monsoon persists.

Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, Bengal, Orissa and Mysore local in Upper Burma, Assam, Chota Nagpur, Bihar, east Central Provinces, north Hyderabad, Malabar and Madras Deccan. A few falls also occurred in east United Provinces, west Central Provinces, Konkan and south-east Madras.

The chief amounts are:—Tavoy four inches; Bassein two; Cherrapunji eight; Bogra three; Chittagong two; Cox's Bazar, Barisal, False Point and Cuttack one and a half; Gorakhpur one.

Forecast:—Extension of rain in United Provinces and Central India east.

RAINFALL AT BOMBAY.

STATIONS.	24 hours to 8 a.m. of 28th June 1916.	Total since June 1st 1916.	June 1st to 28th	
			1915.	1914.
Colaba [Observatory]	0.02	21.71	34.11	16.63
Fort [St. George's Hospital] ..	0.07	19.87	28.17	18.66
Esplanade [Gok. Tej. Hospital] .	0.06	19.77	29.63	17.87
Byculla [J. J. Hospital] ..	0.05	21.05	32.56	18.71

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.

Bombay, 26th June 1916.

Means of observations taken at 6 a. m. 10 a. m. 2 p. m. 4 p. m. and 10 p. m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg Fahr	29.727 Inch.
Temperature of Air	85.0 Deg.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	70.9 "
Dew Point	78.2 "
Relative humidity of Air	0.802 "
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy=10)	7.6 "
Maximum temperature of Air	89.1 "
Minimum .. do	81.5 "
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	WSW.W.
Movement of Wind do. do. ..	243 Miles.
Fall of Rain	0.02 Inches
Total fall during month	21.71 "
Do. do. year	21.82 "
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 28th	0.00 "

SUN, MOON AND TIDES IN BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hour stated in Bombay Mean Time depth of water is at Prince's Dock:—

Day of Week.	Day of month.	HIGH WATER. Bombay Mean time.	Depth on Still	Day of Month.	LOW WATER. Bombay Mean time.	Depth on Still
	Jun.	h. m.	ft. in.	Jun.	h. m.	ft. in.
Wed.	28	m 10 46	27 0	28	m 3 23	16 11
		10 4s	24 7		4 4s	20 8
Thur.	29	m 11 22	27 5	29	m 4 3	16 8
		10 45s	24 10		5 20s	20 3
Fri.	30	m 11 55	27 6	30	m 4 42	16 6
	July	11 24s	25 1	July	5 55s	19 9
Sat	1	m 0 25a	28 0	1	m 5 29	16 4
		0 2	25 4		6 28s	19 5
Sun.	2	m 0 58a	28 0	2	m 5 54	16 4
		0 0	0 0		6 59s	19 1
Mon.	3	m 0 39	25 6	3	m 6 27	16 6
		1 20a	27 11		7 29a	18 11
Tues.	4	m 1 15	25 6	4	m 6 58	16 10
		1 48a	27 7		7 59s	18 10

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week:—

		Sunrise		Sunset	
June	28 (Wednesday)	6h. 4m.	a.	7h. 20m.	p.
"	29 (Thursday)	6h. 4m.	a.	7h. 20m.	p.
"	30 (Friday)	6h. 5m.	a.	7h. 20m.	p.
July	1 (Saturday)	6h. 5m.	a.	7h. 20m.	p.
"	2 (Sunday)	6h. 6m.	a.	7h. 20m.	p.
"	3 (Monday)	6h. 6m.	a.	7h. 20m.	p.
"	4 (Tuesday)	6h. 6m.	a.	7h. 20m.	p.

PHASES OF THE MOON:—

First quarter June 2, 5h. 29m. a.m.; Full Moon June 16, 3h. 11-7m. a.m.; Last quarter June 22, 6h. 6-3m p.m.; New Moon June 30, 4h. 13-2m. p.m.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Wednesday, the 28th June, 1916, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are clear. Humidity is normal or in defect. Day temperature has risen and is now in excess; night temperature is also above normal at some stations.

The United Provinces.—Skies are lightly or moderately clouded. Humidity is normal or in defect. Temperature has risen and is now in excess at Agra.

Sind and Rajputana.—skies are moderately clouded in lower Sind and clear or lightly clouded elsewhere. Humidity and day temperature are in excess in upper Sind.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Skies are lightly or moderately clouded. Humidity is normal or in defect. Day temperature continues in excess in north Gujarat and at Bhavnagar-Para.

The Central Provinces.—Rainfall has been local; Jubbulpore and Nagpur have had 0.20in. each and Chanda 0.22in. Skies are moderately clouded. Day temperature is in defect in the south-eastern districts.

The Konkan.—Mormugao reports 0.60in. of rain. Skies are moderately clouded.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Nizamabad reports 0.56in. of rain. Skies are lightly or moderately clouded in the Bombay Deccan and moderately or heavily clouded in Hyderabad.

General Remarks.—Rainfall has been local in Malabar, the Konkan, the Central Provinces, north Hyderabad and Mysore, while some showers have occurred in the south-east Madras. There has been a complete break in the rains to the west of a line joining Surat and Allahabad and a further decrease in the rainfall on the west coast of the Peninsula.

Some showers are likely on the west coast of the Peninsula. A few showers may occur also in the Central Provinces, the Deccan and on the north Madras coast.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 a. m. on WEDNESDAY, the 28th of June 1916.

STATIONS	Temp. in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours	Temp. in Shade. Minimum of past 24 hours	Humidity. 8 A. M.	Rainfall. Past 24 hours	Rainfall. Total since November 1st to date.	Departure 1st November to date.
PERSIAN GULF—						
Bushire	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. (27th)	94.1	81.6	49	..	0	0
Jask	99.1	82.2	48	..	0	—0.05
Muskat	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. (27th)	96.3	86.3	70	..	0	—0.15
PUNJAB—						
Multan	112.3	86.1	60	..	0	—0.48
Rawalpindi	109.9	72.2	33	..	2.95	1.11
Lahore	112.0	86.7	42	..	0.56	—1.97
Hissar	109.7	87.6	46	..	1.07	1.73
Ambala	105.7	82.1	74	..	4.78	
Delhi	109	2 90.0	44	..	2.12	—0.50
UNITED PROVINCES—						
Agra	105.8	88.8	39	..	2.94	0.86
Mainpuri	100.1	84.1	58	..	2.93	0.62
Jhansi	99	6 84.8	51	..	6.73	—2.69
Cawnpore	94	8 83.1	76	..	14.91	12.14
Allahabad	92	4 81.5	64	..	20.73	16.67
SIND AND RAJPUTANA						
Jacobabad	116.1	84.8	79	..	0	—0.13
Karachi	87	4 80.5	87	..	0.21	—0.73
Ajmer	90	0 78.6	66	..	3.55	1.63
Jaipore	99	0 82.8	54	..	2.17	0.47
Kotah	99	6 86.2	46	..	3.92	1.51
Mount Abu	81	7 64.4	83	..	3 76	—0.42
GUJARAT, KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA WEST—						
Bhuj	94	0 79.5	62	..	0.60	—1.13
Dwarka	89	1 81.7	78	..	0.19	—1.78
Veraval	85	6 81.8	83	..	0.67	—2.81
Rajkot	98	8 77.3	64	..	2.87	—0 87
Bhavnagar Para	102	6 81.8	61	..	1.11	—2 19
Surat	92	3 80.5	86	0.02	5.96	—1.10
Ahmedabad	104	2 80.9	63	..	2.45	—1.57
Deesa	101	8 79.5	72	..	2.27	0.78
Neemuch	91	1 77.1	58	..	8.19	4.77
Indore	87	1 76.6	66	..	8.82	3.63
CENTRAL PROVINCES—						
Jubbulpore	88.3	77.3	73	0.20	7.40	0.63
Saugor	90	8 78.2	70	..	5.17	—0.98
Hoshangabad	90	5 77.4	72	..	8.21	3.03
Khandawa	92	0 79.0	69	..	6.18	1.42
Akola	94	0 79.3	63	..	8.09	3.43
Amroati	91	6 78.1	67	..	9.75	3.80
Nagpur	88	7 78.9	67	0.20	10.56	2 64
Chanda	89	9 76.0	77	0 22	8.69	2.14
Raipur	84	4 74 6	94	0.08	10.51	3.15
KONKAN—						
Bombay	89.1	81.6	79	0.02	21.71	4 69
Ratnagiri	85.5	78.9	81	0.02	42.82	15.71
Mormugao	85.8	76.7	92	0.60	38.29	10.03
Karwar	..	..	..	..	..	..
BOMBAY DECCAN AND HYDERABAD—						
Malegaon	96.4	75.1	58	..	3.04	—1.13
Ahmednagar	90	0 71 5	66	..	3 33	—1 59
Poona	88	4 73 7	71	..	3 18	—1.08
Sholapur	95	0 71.3	74	..	2.78	—0.72
Bijapur	94	5 71.1	73	..	3 47	0 15
Belgaum	78	1 66.8	91	..	8 08	0.31
Aurangabad	91	1 71 8	78	..	5 38	0 48
Nizamabad (Indur)	94	9 74.7	77	0.56	5.48	1.02
Hyderabad	94	4 75.4	88	..	5.47	1.33
MALABAR AND CEYLON						
Mangalore	84	7 75.4	90	0.05	44 68	10.27
Calicut	88	8 75.3	95	0.13	40.45	8.00
Cochin	86	7 78.5	83	0.24	27 42	0 90
Colombo	85	9 78 7	81	..	7.94	0 50
MADRAS (EXCLUDING MALABAR) AND MYSORE—						
Masulipatam	97	5 79.1	79	..	7.03	2.63
Bellary	94	7 78.9	68	0.03	0.06	—1.24
Cuddapah	100	3 79.6	61	..	0.79	—2.15
Madras	99	2 76.0	69	0.24	3 88	2.14
Bangalore	85	5 68.7	82	..	1.26	—1.44
Coimbatore	88	7 71 8	79	..	2.30	0 82
Trichinopoly	100	2 78.7	64	..	0.03	—1.31
Negapatam	99	6 78.5	80	0.08	1.28	0 0

STANDARD BAROMETER READING.

The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may by comparison with a standard instrument asertain the errors of their barometers:—

The reading of the Standard Barometer in the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 32 deg. F. and to the level of the tide, at 8.45 a.m. Standard Time on the 28th June 1916, was 29.703 inches. For temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometer of ships the reading of the ships' barometer has to be increased or decreased by .031 inch for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg. F. In case of the aneroid no temperature correction is needed. But for comparison at 80 deg. F. all aneroid readings should be increased by .138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for the height of the barometer cistern above the side level in the stream at 8.45 a.m. Standard Time, the ship's barometer reading should be increased by .010 inch for every 10 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given.

CASUALTY LIST.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 24.

KILLED.

Lieut. M. N. Schiff, Scots Guards.
Sec.-Lieut. H. S. Gough, Kings Royal Rifles.
Sec.-Lieut. F. P. Lees, Northumberland Fusiliers.
Sec.-Lieut. V. R. Lipp, Royal Fusiliers.
Sec.-Lieut. N. S. Montgomery, Coldstreams.
Sec.-Lieut. W. O. Morris, Liverpools.
Sec. Lieut. G. B. Oliver, Artillery.
Sec.-Lieut. E. S. Provis, Munster Fusiliers.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Captain H. E. Martin, Middlesex.

DIED.

Captain D. C. Watson, Engineers.

WOUNDED.

Major B. H. Charlton, Yorkshires.
Captain D. C. Anderson, Royal Fusiliers.
Captain M. McB. Bell-Irving, Flying Corps.
Captain G. F. Clayton, West Surreys.
Captain R. H. Rowland, West Surreys.
Captain H. J. Hayes, Dublin Fusiliers.
Captain C. S. Proxton, Yorkshires.
Captain A. A. Thomson, Scots Fusiliers.
Captain D. J. Tuck, Oxford and Bucks L. I.
Captain E. S. Rogerson, Sussex.
Lieut. D. H. Brand, Scots Guards.
Lieut. A. O. Brownlee, Artillery.
Lieut. A. E. Egerton, West Yorkshires.
Lieut. R. Green, Yorkshires.
Lieut. C. A. Sutton, East Yorkshires.
Sec.-Lieut. F. R. Berry, Sussex.
Sec.-Lieut. G. E. Condliffe, Lancashire Fusiliers.
Sec.-Lieut. H. C. Farnes, Kings Royal Rifles.
Sec.-Lieut. C. H. Roberts, Engineers.
Sec.-Lieut. H. G. Hendry, Highland L. I.
Sec.-Lieut. H. S. Jamieson, East Surreys.
Sec.-Lieut. O. K. Laugharne, Cheshires.
Sec.-Lieut. D. M. Rigby, Cheshires.
Sec.-Lieut. F. L. Lucas, West Kents.
Sec.-Lieut. E. F. Sanders, West Surreys.
Sec.-Lieut. A. D. Scott, Yorkshires.
Sec.-Lieut. W. R. Shaw, Essex.
Sec.-Lieut. F. S. Smith, North Staffords.
Sec.-Lieut. A. Sturrock, Scots Fusiliers.

The American steamer Hanameah chartered by the firms in China and consigned to Rangoon by Chinese merchants went aground on Sunday on the sands beyond Elephant Point. It may be necessary to jettison the vessel, which was carrying general cargo and a number of Chinese passengers, who were conveyed into port in launches last evening. It is hoped to get the steamer off in a day or so.

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SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

June 28th.

Ormara	Maclean	Moulmein June 18
Pandua	Andressoa	Mombassa June 16
Khiva	Potters	London June 9

DEPARTURE.

June 28th.

Orissa	Austin	Rangoon
Wearwood	Spooner	Dunkirts
Clan Macbrayne	Higgins	Liverpool & Glasgow
Linga	Cutbush	Karachi

The following vessel began to load yesterday.

Steamer Merkara for Calcutta and Coast Ports

June 28.

S. S. Kirin Maru:—The N. Y. K. steamer Kirin Maru (Eastward bound) arrived at Hongkong on the 27th instant.

S. S. Ormara:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Ormara, 2,978 tons, Captain J. Mac Lean, arrived in the harbour yesterday from Moulmein, which port she had left on the 18th instant, with a cargo of timber.

S. S. Pundua:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Pundua, 2-126 tons, Captain A. T. Andreason, arrived in the harbour yesterday from Mombassa, which port she had left on the 16th instant, with a general cargo, 38 cabin and 405 deck passengers.

S. S. Khiva:—The P. and O. S. N. Company's steamer Khiva, 5,661 tons, Captain H. W. Potter, arrived in the harbour yesterday evening from London, which port she had left with the English mail of the 9th instant, a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Linga:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Linga, 951 tons, Captain H. M. Cutbush, sailed yesterday from the Bombay harbour for Karachi, with mail, a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Wearwood:—The steamer Wearwood, 2,013 tons, Captain R. Spooner, sailed yesterday from the Bombay harbour for Dunkirk, with a general cargo.

S. S. Clan Macbrayne:—The Clan Line steamer Clan Macbrayne, 2,978 tons, Captain C. J. Higgins, sailed yesterday from the Bombay harbour for Liverpool and Glasgow, with a general cargo.

Wednesday, 28th June, 1916.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

A. Polyxena.....Ramsay.....W. & A. G. & Co
B. Kakhlamba.....Isbistu.....W. & A. G. & Co
C. & R. Warley Pickering.....Bovy.....T. M. & Co
D. & E. Rinaldo.....Jardon.....J. F. & Co
F. A. Plegrath.....W. & A. G. & Co
M. Malta.....P. & O. S. N. Co
N. Chyebassa.....Logan.....M. M. & Co
P. Raveushoe.....Hodge.....J. F. & Co

HARBOUR WALL.

Irrawadi, Indravati, Sabarmati, Mahanadi.....S. S. N Co

VICTORIA DOCK.

1 City of Nagpur.....Main.....K. N. & Co
2 Wearwood.....W. & A. G. & Co
3 Ellora.....M. M. & Co
4 Zavani.....Ookerji.....H. S. Shoostry
5 Polish Monarch.....Gollas.....W. & A. G. & Co
6 Erinpura.....M. M. & Co
7 Rangoon Maru.....Hori.....N. Y. Kaisha
8 Clan Macbrayne.....Higgins.....J. F. & Co
9 Goa.....J. Finlay & Co
10 & 11 Circassia.....Osborne.....W. & A. G. & Co
12&13 Itola.....Munro.....M. M. & Co
14 Linga.....Cutbush.....M. M. & Co
15 Nalrung.....Grant.....T. M. & Co

ALEXANDRA DOCK.

3 Mongara.....Hamlyn.....M. M. & Co
4 Winifredian.....Shepherd.....W. & A. G. & Co
5 Clan Mackinnon.....Openshaw.....W. & A. G. & Co
6 Novara.....P. & O. S. N. Co

H. D. D.

Gallia.....Capt. Hardcastle

VESSELS IN THE STREAM.

Baroda.....M. M. & Co
Firoozi.....Kernel.....B. & P. S. S. Co
Flot-de-Diu.....Aboo.....Bibadi
Grigus.....Crome.....T. M. & Co
Khiva.....Potter.....P. & O. S. N. Co.
Lhasa.....King.....M. M. & Co
Maur.....Svensen.....F. F. Campbell & Co
Merkara.....Manley.....M. M. & Co
Ormara.....Lewin.....M. M. & Co.
Phrahang.....Nicol.....T. M. & Co
Pandua.....Andreason.....M. M. & Co
Singu.....Reid.....S. W. & Co

EXPORTS

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Circassia (s) 61 bales wool S. Maherbux; 100 bales wool, David Sassoon and Co.; 215 bales wool B. Hurbham; 211 bales wool Ooomersee; 250 bales wool W. and A. Graham & Co.

FOR BARCELONA.

Circassia (s) 472 bales cotton F. F. Campbell and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Circassia (s) 533 cwts. animal guts, Ad. Mayer; 501 cwt. mustargeed R. Purshotum; 110 bales cotton fly Ralli Bros.

Polyxena (s) 16 cases tea black, D. Haridas and Co.

FOR GLASGOW.

Circassia (s) 150 bundles shooks of casks and iron hoops Cutler Palmer and Co.

FOR LONDON.

Mongara (s) 3,000 cwt. linseed Volkart Bros.; 2,000 bales hemp G. Veerji and Co.; 162 bales hemp M. E. Umbrigar and Co.; 150 bales hemp J. Rustomjee; 10,000 cwt. linseed M. B. Kaisha.

FOR GENOA.

Chybassa (s) 100 bales cotton, S. Nathoobhai and Co.; 706 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers; 2,500 bales cotton, K. Devchand and Co.; 1,024 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.; 2,000 cwts. linseed, National Financing and Commission Corporation; 9,903 cwts. linseed, K. M. Nathoo; 300 bales cotton, K. Visram and Co.; 100 bales cotton, J. Dharsey and Co.

Warley Pickering (s) 200 bales cotton, Bombay Co.; 400 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.; 100 bales cotton K. M. Nathoo.

FOR NEW YORK.

Clan Mackinnon (s) 204 cwts. gum kadaya, S. Chapsee and Co.; 353 casks goat skins, H. M. Halem.

FOR PHILADELPHIA.

Clan Mackinnon (s) 117 casks goat skins, H. M. Halim; 70 casks goat skins, E. N. Stein.

Polyxena (s) 100 bales cotton waste, T. Damji; 56 bales cotton fly, H. E. Bode and Sons; 2,500 cwts. linseed cake, Bombay Flour and Oil Mill Co.; 3,000 cwts. myrabolams, P. Mathooradas and Co.

FOR HULL.

Amplegarth (s) 7,753 cwts. linseed, M. B. Kaisha; 6,718 cwts. barley, Ralli Brothers.

FOR DUNKIRK.

Wearwood (s) 197 cwts. barley, Ralli Brothers.

FOR KOBE.

Rangoon Maru (s) 100 bales cotton, G. Dossa and Co.; 1½ cwts. ivory, A. H. Mawji and Co.; 100 bales cotton, C. Bomanji and Co.

IMPORTS.

S. S. Singu from Rangoon, Agents Shaw Wallace and Co.—753,900 I. gallons 4,469 cases kerosine oil, 650 cases candles, 850 casks lubricating oil, 300 bags 400 cases paraffin wax, 1,494 tins 20,895 drums petrol, 3 cases vulcan tongs, 10,387 drums benzine.

S. S. Rinaldo from Hull, Agents James Finlay and Co.—1,075 barrels alum, 96 bales 525 cases cotton goods, 10 cases salad oil, 20 casks lead shot, 35 cases lamp black, 2 cases cycle accessories, 4 cases boots and shoes, 16 casks nitrate of soda, 1 bale carpet, 6 cases art silk and cotton goods 187 bales 40 cases paper, 20 cases cotton net, 3 bales woollen goods, 8 bales 33 cases cotton yarn, 6 crates stoneware jars, 3 crates earthenware, 372 bales cotton wool, 87 cases grease, 7,400 drums disinfectant fluid, 11 cases 13 trusses leather belting, 17 cases sulphur black, 2 cases silk twist, 1 cask sulphur yellow, 8 casks sulphur green, 100 drums Calcium chloride, 85 drums Calcium chloride, 780 drums turpentine, 25 drums 81 cases varnish, 106 bags slag wool, 17 casks sulphite oi soda, 19 bales sodium sulphide, 37 cases oil cloth, 4 cases 4 bales leather, 6 bales cotton belting, 180 sacks starch, 12 cases buffalo pickers, 1 case gelatine, 65 cases blue powder, 1 case leather buffers, 20 cases blue, 2 trusses leather picking bands, 600 drums carbide, 100 cases Quaker oats, 120 cases condensed milk, 2,520 drums linseed oil, 141 cases 502 casks colour, 435 cases 50 drums 6,586 kegs paint, 60 cases gum mastic, 1,800 bags almonds.

BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

TO-DAY.

Hindu: 14th of Jeth Vad, 1972.
Mahomedan: 27th of Shaban, 1334.
Parsi: 21st of Deh, 1285.

Phase of the Moon: New Moon, June 30.
Sunrise, 6 h. 4 m.; Sunset, 7 h. 20 m.

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS.

Mails for Laurenzo Marquis and South Africa per extra steamer Umfuli via Dhanushkodi and Colombo will be closed at the General Post Office at 7-30 p.m.

Municipal Corporation Meeting, 3-40 p.m.

Meeting of the Bombay Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society in the Society's rooms, 6 p.m. Paper: "Some refereaces to Zoroastrian Scriptures in Arab Authors," by Mr. G. K. Nariman.

Major E. L. Watson's address to men on "The Question of the Hour," Y. M. C. A. Hall, Wodehouse Road, 9 p.m.

SATURDAY, July 1.

Bombay Provincial Bank, Extraordinary General Meeting, 3-30 p.m.

DAILY.

Excelsior Theatre, "The Scamps" at 9-45 p.m.; "New York" at 6-30 p.m.

Royal Opera House, Cinema, 6-45 p.m. and 10 p.m.

New Alexandra Cinema, Crawford Market, 7, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.

Olympia Cinema, Sandhurst Road, 6-30, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.

Domestic Occurrences.

BIRTHS.

DANIELL.—On the 19th June at Quetta to Major and Mrs. W. R. Daniell. 123rd Outram's Rifles, a daughter.

WILLIAMS—On the 21st June, at Calcutta, to Captain and Mrs. Percy Williams, twin sons, (Straits, English and Irish papers please copy.)

DEATHS.

DADYSETT.—Bai Shirinbai, widow of late Dr. Hearji Jehangir Dadyseet and daughter of Mr. Framji Jamsetji Batliboi Funeral to-day at 8 a.m. (S.T.) at Dadysett House, Fort.

FARDUNJI.—Kharsedbai, wife of Mr. Rustamji Fardunji, Dewan of Nasirabad, age 65, at Ajmer. June 26.

ATKINSON.—On May 21st, at Warrenpoint, Ireland, Mr. J. H. Atkinson late of Calcutta, aged 75 years.

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

Squadron Orders by Lieut.-Colonel Sir Stanley Reed, Kt., A.D.C., Commanding.

June 29.

Riding School:—Riding School daily at 7 a.m. (weather permitting).

Signalling Class:—The Signalling Class under Major Wallis, I.A., will be held on the following evenings:—

Thursday 29th and Friday 30th instant, 6 to 8 p.m. at the Volunteer Club.

Sunday 7 a.m. at Mr. Annesley's bungalow, Palli Hill.

Shooting Club:—The first shoot of the season will be held at the Colaba Range on Saturday afternoon next, 1st July, from 4-30 p.m.

Promotions:—The following are notified:—Lance-Sergt. F. B. Saddler, to be Sergeant. Lance-Corporal A. Gilchrist, to be Corporal.

Office of Paymaster:—Corporal Gilchrist to act as Paymaster vice Sergt. Ellis.

F. C. ANNESLEY, 2nd-Lt.,
Actg. Adjutant, Bombay Light Horse.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Regimental Orders by the Hon. Lt.-Col. P. R. Cadell, C.I.E., Commanding.

June 29.

216. "F." Company.—There will be a parade of all 2nd Class Shots in the Co. for instruction in musketry every Friday evening at Headquarters at 6-15 p.m. until further notice.

Dress.—Drill Order, without arms.

(Sd.) C. N. MOBERLY, Major,
Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

POONA VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Corps Orders by Lieut.-Col. G. K. Walker, C.I.E., Commanding Poona Volunteer Rifles.

POONA, June 28.

606. Drill and Instruction.—Parades for the week ending 1st July 1916:—

"A" Company at Headquarters, Wednesday at 7 a.m. Dress.—Drill order, Shirts and Shorts.

On Friday June 30th "A" Company will fetch their own equipment from Headquarters, and will fall in at the Bund Bridge at 7.30 a.m. independently. Dress.—Drill order. Shirts and Shorts.

"B" Company at Headquarters, Wednesday at 7-30 a.m. Dress.—Drill order, Uniform.

Recruits at Headquarters, Wednesday and Friday at 5-30 p.m.

Signallers at Headquarters, Friday at 5-30 p.m.

Buglers at Headquarters, Wednesday and Friday at 5-30 p.m.

Satara Dett., Thursday 7 a.m., Saturday 5 p.m., at Satara.

607. Musketry.—The Rifle Range will be open for practice and Class firing at 7-30 a.m. on Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays until further orders. Members wishing to fire should send in their names to Headquarters Office two days beforehand.

608. Lecture.—Members desirous of attending a course of lectures in First Aid by Major Hutchinson, I.M.S., should send in their names to the Adjutant. It is proposed to give a lecture one evening a week for twelve weeks.

609. Miniature Rifle Club.—Members of the Corps who are desirous of joining the Miniature Rifle Club should send in their names to the Adjutant at once.

610. Increase.—The undermentioned having been enrolled is taken on the strength of the Corps, and posted to "G" Company.

No. 4420 Volunteer C. B. Creeke.

(Sd.) G. GRAHAM SMITH, Captain,
For 2/Lieut. & Adjt.,
Poona Volunteer Rifles.

STRING BAND AT THE P. V. MARY GYMKHANA.

By kind permission of Colonel T. W. Bonner, V.D., and Officers, the Band of the 1st Battn., G. I. P. Ry. Volunteers, will play this evening a programme of music, under the direction of Mr. Hugh B. Mitchell, Band Master, commencing at 6-15 o'clock.

MAILS FOR PERSIAN GULF.

Mails for Muscat, Henjam, Faq, Bushire, Koweit, Chabar, Jask, Linga, Bahrein Bunder-Abas, Mahomerah and Busra will be closed at the Bombay General Post Office at 7-30 p.m. to-morrow.

MAILS FOR JAPAN AND AUSTRALIA.

Mails for Ceylon, the Straits Settlements, China, Japan and Australia per S. S. Novara will be closed at the General Post Office at 7-30 p.m. to-morrow. Parcel mail for China closes at 6-30 p.m. on the same day.

ENGLISH MAIL POSTING.

The English Mail per S. S. Malta will be closed at the General Post Office punctually at Noon on Sunday, the 2nd proximo. Registered letters and parcels will be accepted up to 6-30 p.m. the previous day. Postings at the Town Sub-Offices must be regulated so as to reach the General Post Office before the above mentioned hours.

DALY MORTALITY IN THE CITY.

Four attacks and two deaths from plague and five attacks and four deaths from small-pox occurred on Tuesday, the plague cases being reported as follows:—Khetwadi, one attack and one death; Maratha Hospital, one death; Byculla, Fanaswadi and Bhuleshwar, one attack each. There was no case of cholera. The total mortality from all causes was 69, as compared with 55 of the corresponding day of 1915 and 73 of 1914. Out of a total of 2,089 rats caught during the day, 16 were found to be plague-infected.

A MOTOR CAR ACCIDENT.

Mr. Eldridge was driving on Tuesday a car belonging to the Tata Hydro Electric Company, along Supari Baug Road when seeing a Hindu woman aged about 50 and named Taibai, walking on the wrong side of the road in front of the car, he blew the horn. She got confused and running into the path of the car, was pushed aside and slightly injured. The car was going slow and was at once pulled up. The injured woman was taken to the Sir J. J. Hospital whence on treatment she was sent home.

BOY KNOCKED DOWN BY A MOTOR CAR

On Tuesday evening a motor car belonging to Dwarkadas Jaiksandas and driven by Sahdeo Shunker, was turning on to Sandhurst Bridge from Hughes Road when Frederick Pereira, a Christian boy of 12 years, suddenly crossed the road from the pavement and was knocked down by the radiator of the car. The driver at once pulled up the car. The boy was removed to the Sir J. J. Hospital where he was found to have sustained only slight injuries. After treatment the patient was allowed to go home. An eye-witness states that no blame attaches to the driver.

ARRIVALS BY THE MAIL.

The following is the list of passengers who arrived by the P. and O. mail steamer Khiva yesterday evening:—

Rev W T Hatch, Mr A C Smith, Rev D W S and Mrs Urquhart, Staff Sergt J Smalley, Mrs M L J Vicarge, Mrs W and Miss Smith, Staff Sergt W S Flett, Mrs A Robertson and infant, 2nd-Lt G W Hoggan, Lt-Col Kithpatrick, Mr W H Rothwell, Lt G M O'Rothe, 2nd-Lt E P Keeling, Mr A Lambert, Mr J MacDennis, Mr J Wilson, Mr T Deacon, Mr R C Goffin, Capt H Watts, Mr O M Mair, Lt L F E Vamenan, Mr S H Modi, Mr N M M Bhownagri, Mr G A C Pugh, Major F D Russell, Mr J A Milligan, Mr M T C and Mrs Clarke, Capt G L Pepys, Capt H Exham, Major C Hudson, Mrs E Abbott, Mr Beddow, Mrs F M Simpson, Major P H Kealy, Mr C Cleghorn, Mrs S Loch, Mr A E Jeffrey, Mr D M Livingston, Mr R S and Mrs Bachhouse, Mr T Taylor, Mrs Horning, Sub-Asst B B Storey and servant, Ismail Kasim B Trooper Sheik and servant.

CRICKET FIXTURES.

TELAGU YOUNG CRICKETERS.

July 1st.—B. B. & C. I. Ry. C. C.
July 2nd.—Fort Vijaya C. C.
July 8th.—Killick Nixon C. C.
July 9th.—Lusitanian Sporting C. C.
July 15th.—Esplanade H. S. C. C.
July 16th.—Saraswat Union C. C.
July 22nd.—Wilson H. S. C. C.
July 23rd.—New Jolly Young Cricketers.
July 29th.—Sir J. J. School of Arts Gymkhana.
July 30th.—Bandra Union C. C.
Aug. 4th.—Deccan Gymkhana.
Aug. 5th.—P. Y. C. Hindu Gymkhana.
Aug. 6th.—Poona Telagus.
Aug. 13th.—New Friends' Union C. C.
Aug. 20th.—Gujarathi Union C. C.
Aug. 27th.—New Sporting C. C.

BHATIA MITRA MANDAL C. C.

July 1st.—Bombay Gymkhana.
July 2nd.—Gawd Saraswat.
July 8th.—Baronet C. C.
July 16th.—Daivagna C. C.
July 29th.—Elphinstone High School.
Aug. 5th.—New High School.
Aug. 12th.—Parekh C. C.
Aug. 13th.—Sixteen Stars.
Sept. 3rd.—Bombay Young Cricketers.
Sept. 23rd.—Bombay Gymkhana.
Oct. 1st—Bombay Telangu Cricketers.
Oct. 7th.—Elphinstone C. C.
Oct. 14th.—St. Xavier's College.

IMPERIAL COTTON MILLS.

AUCTION SALE WITHDRAWN.

Under instructions from Sir Sassoon J. David and Mr. W. Turner, liquidators of the Imperial Cotton Mills Co., Ltd., an auction sale was bid yester

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THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE.
Thursday, June 29, 1916.

A GRATUITOUS APPEAL.

In his address to the Sardars of the Deccan the other day Lord Willingdon made an appeal to "all men of influence and position to employ their positions and their talents to tranquillize, and not to exacerbate, at this critical time, the asperities of political discussion, to conciliate rather than to excite animosities and prejudices, and to spread among their less enlightened fellow-citizens a feeling of calm confidence in the issue of the great struggle now convulsing the world." This is what might be termed a counsel of perfection, in which we should all be glad to concur if we were allowed the opportunity. But one rather wonders why it was particularly addressed to the—, no doubt, greatly astonished Sardars of the Deccan, as to whom there is not, we should think, the shade of a shadow of a possibility that they will indulge in anything of a controversial character either during the war or after, and whether the appeal might not have been addressed more appropriately to the India Office, the Government of Madras or even the Government of Bombay, who provide us with so much material for controversy, that, much as we should like to "tranquillize the asperities of political discussion," we get very little chance of doing so.

At the beginning of the war the "patriotic intelligenzia of the Presidency,"—as a contemporary, which goes to Mr. Bernard Shaw for verbal, if not spiritual, inspiration has it,—and, indeed of the whole of India, were quite willing that political controversy should be suspended and gave practical proofs of that willingness. It soon became evident, however, that the pact was being kept only on one side. It can be fairly claimed that, so far as the question of the war itself is concerned, the attitude of Indian politicians and journals has been beyond reproach. We are not aware of a single instance in which there has been any defection from the general desire "to spread among the less enlightened citizens a feeling of calm confidence in the issue of the great struggle." The general attitude has been one of unanimous and unswerving support, sustenance and, we may add, determination not to embarrass, the Government, either here or in England, or in any way to divert its attention or activities from the supreme task which lies before the Empire. In that respect India is not open to be lectured or admonished either in retrospect or prospect by any one. One may well contrast this universality of loyal conduct with the malignant and enemy-encouraging tactics of a large and influential school of critics of the Government in England. But it became evident long ago that India could not afford to remain silent, while the fullest and freest discussion was going on in other parts of the Empire regarding political reconstruction after the war. The self-governing Dominions have made their political demands on the Imperial Government loudly and insistently. We have the picture of the Australian Premier stumping the "old country" on a series of problems of a political character in which India is as vitally affected as Australia or Canada. We see the Colonial Minister entering into the discussion of these matters with sympathetic zest and enthusiasm. Well, India, too, has her problem of political reconstruction after the war to consider. Among educated Indians there are different phases of thought in regard to the matter, moderate and advanced, and they can hardly be expected to remain dumb unless there is a corresponding recognition of the need for silence in other parts of the Empire. On the contrary, we have been reminded by the persistent attempts of outsiders to allocate in advance India's place in a reconstructed empire, without any pretence to ascertain the views of the Indian public, that India cannot afford to keep quiet. If there has been asperity in the discussion of this particular question in India, we can safely say that it has been generally provoked by the persistent failure to realise that there is an Indian point of view and the necessity for driving home that fact.

We find it difficult to understand why Lord Willingdon has thought it necessary to make this appeal at this particular juncture. Is it because the public resentment has been so strongly aroused by recent instances of the application of the provisions of the Press Act? For that the public is not responsible. The appeal should be made to the Government of Madras. Is it because in this Presidency the asperities of controversy have been sharpened by certain recent events? If so, the appeal should be addressed to the officials of Lord Willingdon's own Government, who seem to think that the present is a suitable time for flying in the face of public opinion, tampering with the integrity of the hard-won independence of representative institutions and thrusting on the public schemes which the accredited representatives of the public have rejected. Is it in view of the controversy that is likely to centre round the Government of India Consolidated Act Amendment Bill? If so, the appeal should be addressed to Whitehall, whose idea of keeping the political truce is the clandestine introduction of a measure making sweeping constitutional changes, which the country has not had the pretence of an opportunity to discuss. By all means let us soften the asperities of political discussion at this critical time, but let the advice be directed to the proper quarters. So far as the intelligenzia of this Presidency is concerned it is gratuitous.

THE CURRENCY.

At this juncture, when there prevails considerable excitement in banking and financial circles in the three Presidency capitals touching the fortunes of the conversion loan of 4 per cent., it may not be unuseful to refer to the latest statistics of the Paper Currency Department in the "Gazette of India." In order, however, correctly to apprehend the undercurrents which each week's note circulation is subjected to, and the consequent adjustments which have to be made thereon by the Financial Department, it is necessary to examine the dynamics of currency by the comparative method. We take the close of April when, it may be observed, the busy trade season is veering its climax, and compare it with the middle of June, when it is on its decline. The interval is seven weeks. But what material changes our currency has undergone during this brief period may be easily apprehended from the following figures. But it should be remembered here that against the note circulation of each week the Currency Department has to show that it possesses silver coin and bullion, gold, and securities to balance the amount of the notes. There is always a large quantity of silver and gold held in this country and a smaller amount in England. Then there are silver securities held in India and gold securities held in England:—

	IN CRORE RUPEES. Week ending 27th April,	Week ending 15th June.
Notes in circulation ..	65.47	68.22
Silver, Gold and Securities held against above:—		
Silver held in India ..	20.05	18.79
" " " England.	0.51	0.35
" Under Coinage ..	..	1.75
Total Silver..	20.56	20.89
Gold held in India ..	12.24	12.35
" " " England..	11.93	11.93
Total Gold..	24.17	24.28
Securities held in India.	9.99	9.99
" " " England	10.75	13.06
Total Securities..	20.74	23 05
Total Silver, Gold and Securities	65.47	68.22

It will be seen from the above comparative figures that note circulation has increased in seven weeks, commencing from 27th April, by 2.75 crores. *Per contra* the following increases are discernible:—

	Crore Rs.
In Silver	0.33
In Gold	0.11
In Securities	2.31
	2.75

It should be noticed that silver held in England and India during the period under review declined by Rs. 1.42 crores. To replenish this situation silver coins are being fast minted in this country to the extent of Rs. 1.75 crores. The late rise in silver had partly its origin unmistakably in the purchase of silver by the Government to replenish the diminution of coins held here and in England. There was a slight increase in the gold coins held in India which may be deemed negligible. But the largest increase is to be noticed in the gold securities held in England. From 10.75 crores on 27th April, the amount had risen on 15th June to 13.06. That is to say, gold securities were augmented in England to the amount of Rs. 2.31 crores. It will be quite intelligible to the student of practical currency that the volume of notes has to be increased in India to enable the Government to fortify the situation of Indian balances in England by purchasing additional gold securities to the extent of 2.31 crores. We should not be surprised were the next currency return to show even a larger augmentation, the reason for which may be explained by the earnest desire of the Government of India to support the Home Government which wishes to be as strong as possible in gold under the present conditions of the money market consequent on the war. Of course, it goes without saying that the increase in the notes for the purchase of gold securities has had necessarily to lead the Indian Government to increase its coinage of silver and thus maintain the equilibrium between notes on the one side and coins and securities on the other.

Notes of the Day.

Government of India Consolidated Act Amendment Bill.

We understand that it has been decided to requisition a public meeting of the citizens of Bombay in the Town Hall on Saturday the 8th July to protest against the introduction of the Government of India Consolidated Act Amendment Bill, and urging that the measure should be dropped and the consideration of its provisions postponed until after the war.

Moslems and the Arab Revolt.

The resolution which has been passed by the Council of the All-India Moslem League should serve to remind some of our contemporaries that there is a Mahomedan point of view in regard to the action of the Grand Sheriff of Mecca, which does not quite fit in with their assumption that the Mahomedans of India have received the news of the last few days with feelings of profound satisfaction. Why non-Mahomedans should take upon themselves to dogmatise upon what is or is not agreeable to Mussulman religious sentiment we cannot conceive. It would be very agreeable for all concerned, if what is politically convenient for the Allies were also religiously acceptable to all the Indian Mussalmans, but unfortunately it is not, and a very delicate situation is not helped, but is liable to be aggravated, by the attempts of papers, which have no claim whatever to speak on behalf of the Mahomedan community, to assert that black is white. The communiqué that was published a few days ago announcing the revolt of the Grand Sheriff was most unfortunately worded. This is a matter in which Mahomedans must be left to decide for themselves what is good for them and what is not. It is entirely their own concern and we cannot make it ours because we are not Musalmans and we have no power to decide it for them. The British Government has pledged its word that it will not interfere with the sacred places and will do its utmost to protect them. That pledge has been and will be kept. Beyond that Mahomedans cannot and do not expect the Government to go. But they are naturally likely to resent the attempt on the part of irresponsible parties to interpose their views in a matter on which, as we have said, only Musalmans have any right to express an opinion.

British and Indian Soldiers.

The "Westminster Gazette" has published extracts from a letter written by an officer in an Indian regiment serving in Mesopotamia, which reveals once more the excellent relations that prevail between the English and the Indian soldier. He writes:—

I saw one thing that I only believed occurred in stories and pictures,—a sergeant of the Manchesters lying down beside one of our men who was obviously dying, holding his hand and doing his best to cheer him up The Gurkha could only live for a short time, but this was during the retirement quite near the enemy, and there were plenty of bullets buzzing round. A sepoy in a Rajput regiment told me that he was carried back by two Tommies, and that when they laid him down to rest for a moment, one of the Tommies was killed by a bullet in the head, as they were sitting down; the other Tommy picked up the sepoy and brought him in.

The Thing That Counts.

The "New York Times" publishes an article, of which the thesis is that British democracy is showing more real efficiency in war than German absolutism. The great contribution of Britain is declared to be "the unbroken front, solidarity, and stubborn tenacity of the nation as a whole." There are nations that might run the war better, but "there is not one that could be more trusted to win the war, and that after all, is the thing that counts." "England denouncing herself as inefficient is yet the greatest moral asset of democracy in Europe." All the talk of "German efficiency" is in reality a "fetish," for, though Germany was undoubtedly prepared for war, in her preparedness were fatal defects. These defects the "New York Times" declares to be,

(1) failure to provide sufficient ammunition, so that by September 1, 1914, the shortage was a calamity; (2) the miscalculation was that the war would be short; (3) the underestimation of the strength and resources of the enemy; (4) the hopeless blunders made in trying to meet the food crisis; and (5) the absurd counting on Zeppelins as instruments of wanton frightfulness.

Yet pessimists, one feels sure, will go on announcing and denouncing British "inefficiency."

Too Good to Live!

Professor Gotz of Leipzig has written a book with the title "Germany's Intellectual Life in the World War" in which he bestows high and serious praise on the German press for its patriotism, its lofty ideals, and the irreproachable methods pursued in realising these ideals. But for its Press, Germany, we are told, would have been flooded with French, British and Russian lies, which might have had a serious effect on the spirit of the people, and fostered a feeling of despondency. Wherever an enemy lie has appeared, adds the Professor, the German Press has fearlessly killed it. It has disdained to meet lie with lie, maintaining a high standard of verity "under the circumstances." Professor Gotz regrets, however, that so admirable an institution as the German Press, so marvellous an instrument in the spread of kultur, should not have met with the material success it deserves.

In the first year of the war 800 newspapers and periodicals collapsed, and before the spring of 1916 the figures rose to the enormous number of 3,900. The end of this year it is not unlikely that 5,000 will have bitten the dust.

"More Smacks and Fewer Kisses."

Latterly it has been constantly asserted that the doctrine of "hate" has become much less popular in Germany, but the "Vorwarts" reproduces the following from a Munich medical journal:—

Nobody any longer will be able to escape the logical conclusion that peace will be a catastrophe and that war remains the only possibility. The whole nation will as one man demand perpetual war.

And a pamphlet issued from the same source is even more emphatic:—

Let there be education in hatred, education in the veneration of hatred, education in the love of hatred. Let there be organisation of hatred. Away with the immature fear of brutality and fanaticism. Let us adopt politically the motto, "More smacks and fewer kisses." We must not hesitate to declare blasphemously that to us has been given faith, hope, and hatred, but the greatest of these is hatred.

Germans and Forged Passports.

The "Cologne Gazette" publishes, as though it were the most natural thing in the world, a warning to Germans to be more careful than they usually are when they travel with forged passports. The writer says that English agents who speak German fluently, travel on almost all ships from America and often hear Germans boasting of the cunning with which they have obtained false passports, the result being that the Germans are arrested when the ship is held up by English cruisers. The following example is given:—

An Austrian engineer and his wife were travelling recently from South America with forged passports. During the voyage they carefully spoke Spanish. The ship was examined and when it had been allowed to proceed the Austrian could not refrain from telling his story to his neighbours at table. Later on the ship was examined again and to their astonishment the man and his wife were promptly arrested.

Tirpitz and the Submarine.

A recent telegram told us that, presiding at the meeting of the German Navy League, Admiral von Kroester urged the unscrupulous use of the submarine. This statement need not surprise us. For while, since the fall of the Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, his political enemies have made much play with statements, some of them true and some of them false, about his original neglect of the submarine, it is instructive to note how far the policy for which he stood before his fall was the expression of the popular wishes. The National Liberal leader, Herr Bassermann, has just published a heated defence of von Tirpitz, which sheds a curious light on the subject. He says that, whenever a great man falls, "there is always a donkey ready to kick the dead lion" and proceeds:—

The charge has been made that Tirpitz concentrated his interest upon the High Sea Fleet and neglected the submarine. It is quite untrue. When the submarine was in its early stages Tirpitz said to me and others that, at a time when France was making great sacrifice of human life in submarine experiments, he could not take the risk of exposing the lives of German sailoss, and so making the young navy policy of the German Empire unpopular in the Reichstag and in the country. When the danger point was passed, and the technical problem had been solved, Tirpitz acted with his usual energy, and created the high seas boat.

Herr Bassermann ends his article by saying that "Tirpitz was the Navy, the Fleet was his child, and the German naval officers are shaped after his image." To this, the recent statement of Admiral von Kroester affords the best comment.

Lunatic Asylums in the Presidency.

The Surgeon General's report on the administration of the various lunatic asylums in the Bombay Presidency during the year 1915, does not call for any special comments. The total population of the asylums was 1,652 as compared with 1,575 in 1914, an increase of 77. The admissions and re-admissions numbered 420 males and 79 females, of whom 33 were Europeans and Eurasians, 26 Indian Christians, 263 Hindus, 145 Mahomedans, and 23 of other races. Cultivators, numbering 42, furnished the largest number of admissions, while 38 belonged to the domestic servant class, 30 were merchants and traders, 35 military sepoys and servants, 27 labourers, 24 mendicants, 23 clerks and 13 artisans. Thirty-two insanes were under 20 years on admission, 384 were between 20 and 40 years, 70 were between 40 and 60 years and 4 were over 60 years of age. Of the total treated, 231 were cured and 90 were transferred to the care of friends. The principal types of insanity treated were idiocy 83, mania 817, melancholia 305, delusional insanity 99, insanity caused by Cannabis Indica or its preparations 51 and dementia 239. The health of the inmates was on the whole satisfactory, the ratio of deaths to the daily average strength being 7.1 against 8.3 per cent. in 1914.

Official and Personal.

A son and heir has been born to his Highness the Maharaja of Gwalior.

With reference to the donation of Rs. 4,000 made by the Maharaja Holkar to the Sir P. M. Mehta memorial fund, it was inadvertently stated in these columns yesterday that his Highness had donated a similar amount on a previous occasion. It was the Maharaja of Baroda who had subscribed Rs. 4,000 to the same fund.

We are requested to state that there is no truth in the rumour that Mr. Chunilal V. Mehta has withdrawn his candidature for election to the Bombay Legislative Council, by the Bombay Corporation.

GERMAN EXCHANGE.

POST-WAR BANKRUPTCY UNAVOIDABLE

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
LAHORE, June 28.

The "Civil and Military Gazette's" correspondent cables:—

The "Daily Telegraph's" financial correspondent in Paris attributes the state of exchange to the growing disbelief of neutrals in a German victory. Dr. Helferrich has admittel privately that bankruptcy after the war is unavoidable.

SHACKLETON EXPENDITION.

HOPES FOR THE MAROONED PARTY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 27.

Sir E. Shackleton states that he reached wit' in twenty miles of Elephant Island, but ice prevented further progress.

He hopes that the party ashore will be able to supplement their rations with penguins and that ultimately they will be rescued.

CHINESE REBELLION.

NAVAL C.-IN-C.'S THREAT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
SHANGHAI, June 27.

Litinghsin, Commander-in-Chief of the Chinese Navy, has telegraphed to the President demanding the convention of the Parliament which Yuanshikai dissolved and a new Cabinet, otherwise the Navy will declare its independence.

Litinghsin was educated in Europe and has a high reputation. He commands four cruisers and four training ships. There are eighteen other vessels and gunboats elsewhere, the attitude of which is unknown. Litinghsin defended the Kingnan arsenal for Yuanshikai very skilfully during the rebellion of 1913.

FAT PRICE FOR CARGO STEAMERS.

AUSTRALIA PURCHASES FIFTEEN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, June 27.

In view of the difficulties in shipping Australia's record harvest Mr. Hughes has bought fifteen four-thousand ton cargo steamers at a cost of £130,000 each, which will be run by the Commonwealth and known as the Commonwealth Government line. It will be managed in London.

THE WAR.

SUMMARY OF TELEGRAMS.

INACTIVITY AT VERDUN.

ENEMY'S PROBABLE EXHAUSTION.

GERMANS ANTICIPATE BRITISH "PUSH."

ITALIAN ADVANCE CONTINUES.

A French semi-official statement explains the German inactivity at Verdun, as the result of absolute exhaustion following the violent effort from June 21st to June 24th at Fleury, which cost the Germans such enormous losses.

The French line is firmly established west of Thiaumont, at which the fate of Verdun will probably be decided. A later communiqué states that night operations enabled the French to enlarge the ground they gained at Thiaumont.

Three armed French aeroplanes fired 65 shells at German vessels off the Belgian coast.

A German paper says that there is reason to believe that the great push is imminent on the British Front.

British patrols were very active on the whole front, entering the enemy's lines at numerous points and inflicting many casualties.

The Italian advance in Trentino continues. The Italians have occupied Posina and Arsiero. The enemy barbarously burned Arsiero, Asiago and many villages.

The Russians report an artillery duel in the Riga sector and at the Ikskull bridgehead. The enemy made several attempts at offensive in the north, but they were all repulsed.

The relations of Greece with the Entente are said to be rapidly assuming their former friendliness, and it is understood that M. Romanos, the Greek Minister in Paris, has been entrusted with the task of establishing a sound understanding.

DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE.

NEW GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF CANADA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 27.

It is officially announced that the Duke of Devonshire will succeed the Duke of Connaught as Governor-General of Canada.

LEEDS CHAMBER'S GIFT TO INDIA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, June 27.

The Leeds Chamber of Commerce has decided to raise 2,000 guineas to present India with an aeroplane, which will probably be sent to the western front and despatched to India after the war.

GERMAN EXHAUSTION AT VERDUN.

GREAT BRITISH "PUSH" ANTICIPATED.

BRITISH MENACE IN THE WEST.

"GREAT PUSH IS NOW IMMINENT."

FROM A GERMAN POINT OF VIEW.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, June 28.

The "Pioneer's" correspondent cables:—

The "Schlesischer Volkszeistung" declares, there is too much talk about the Russian menace and expresses the conviction that the danger exists rather on the English front.

"England," says the writer, "has resources of her own much greater than we generally imagine. There is reason to fear that the great push is now imminent and that it will be attempted on a gigantic scale.

"Our military chiefs would be well advised to keep their brightest eye, not on the eastern, but on the western front. If we were caught napping there the consequence could not easily be foreseen."

ACTIVITY ON BRITISH FRONT.

NUMEROUS RAIDS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, June 28.

Sir Douglas Haig reports that last night, south-east of the Ypres salient, a German attack was repulsed.

Our patrols were very active on the whole front, entering the enemy's lines at numerous points and inflicting many casualties.

Mine fighting occurred near Loos, in which the Leinsters heavily punished the Germans.

Numerous hostile aircraft were encountered yesterday on the enemy's side of the line. Five of our machines engaged four Fokkers, two of which were brought down. Two others were also forced to come down. The British casualties were one machine missing.

GERMAN INACTIVITY AT VERDUN.

ENEMY'S ABSOLUTE EXHAUSTION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 27.

A French semi-official statement explains the German inactivity at Verdun by the absolute exhaustion following their violent effort from June 21st to the 24th at Fleury, which cost sanguinary German losses altogether disproportionate to the results.

The situation at present is absolutely stationary. The French line is firmly established west of Thiaumont, at which the fate of Verdun will probably be decided and is well supplied with artillery and machine-guns.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, June 28.

The "Pioneer's" correspondent cables:—

The "Daily Telegraph's" Paris correspondent quotes a German who asserts that the attacks on Verdun have reached an intensity which it is impossible to exceed.

He adds that not a man has been withdrawn from the Crown Prince's army, on the contrary he has been reinforced with more heavy artillery than ever, including guns brought from Metz which have been massed on the right bank of the Meuse.

MORE GROUND GAINED AT THIAUMONT

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, June 27.

A communiqué says night operations enabled us to enlarge the ground we gained at Thiaumont.

There was another keen engagement at Fleury but the position is unchanged.

According to the Amsterdam "Telegraaf" the Germans are very active transporting large quantities of war material, including heavy artillery, to the western front. Infantry have been sent to the north French front and to western Belgium.

ATTACK AT FLEURY REPULSED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

PARIS, June 28.

A communiqué says there was moderate bombardment on both banks of the Meuse. The Germans at two in the afternoon launched an attack on our line at Fleury but were completely repulsed.

FRENCH AEROPLANES ATTACK GERMAN VESSELS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

PARIS, June 27.

A communiqué says:—

Three of our armed aeroplanes fired 65 shells at German vessels off the Belgian coast.

GEN. HINDENBURG'S ACTIVITY.

ALL ATTEMPTS AT OFFENSIVE REPULSED.

ENEMY PRISONERS TOTAL 198,072.

(REUTERS' TELEGRAM.)

PETROGRAD, June 28.

A communiqué says:—There was an artillery duel in the Riga sector and at the Ikskull bridgehead.

The enemy made attempts at offensive at Dvinsk, north of Lake Sventen, north of Lake Madjiol and near Slutzk. They were mostly preceded by artillery bombardments. They were all repulsed. The enemy momentarily succeeded in crossing the River Shara, in the vicinity of Lipsk, but was hurled back.

The bombardment of Stokhod on the middle Strypa, continues. The Russians threw back the enemy on the River Dudovetz, a tributary of the Pruth.

The total captures from June 4th to June 23rd were 4,031 officers, 194,041 men, 219 guns, 644 machine-guns and 196 mortars.

A Turkish attempt to cross the Mahladarashi under cover of artillery failed. The Turks were driven back in the Mossul district.

Russian aviators have had successful encounters at different points, including in the Baltic.

HUNGARIAN HARVEST.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR GATHERING IN.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, June 28.

The "Pioneer's" correspondent cables:—

The "Daily Telegraph's" correspondent at Rome learns from Budapest that the Hungarian Government is sending workmen from industrial and military establishments to gather in the harvest. The cereals are not yet ripe, but a beginning has been made in the region nearest the Carpathians.

INFLUENCING RUMANIA.

GERMAN VIEW OF RUSSIAN STRATEGY

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, June 28.

The "Pioneer's" correspondent cables:—

Major Moraht writing in the "Berliner Tageblatt" says, it is obvious that the Russian strategy on their left wing is serving political interests. Our enemy's main desire is to influence Rumania.

The Russians will probably endeavour to advance to the Carpathians, if possible, to penetrate Transylvania. This is a question of proportionate strength.

Major Moraht admits that the hopes of Russia's exhaustion have failed and consoles himself with the contemplation of Russian losses, which he estimates at a quarter of a million.

QUEEN OF RUMANIA'S MOVEMENTS.

AN IMPROBABLE REPORT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, June 28.

The "Pioneer's" correspondent cables:—

The "Daily Express" correspondent at Zurich mentions news from Bucharest that the Queen with her family has left for Berlin.

VESSEL SUNK.

(REUTERS' TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 27.

The British steamer Canford Chine has been sunk. The crew was landed at Cromer.

FRENCH LINER'S ESCAPE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

MARSEILLES, June 27.

The French steamer Fournel has been sunk in the Mediterranean.

The French liner Ville de Madrid, from Algiers, was pursued and shelled by a submarine, but escaped by steaming full speed on a zigzag course.

PRO-GERMAN INTRIGUES IN U. S.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, June 27.

In the House of Commons Sir Edward Grey said representations had been made to America regarding pro-German attempts to blow up Allied ships in American ports.

ITALIAN ADVANCE CONTINUES.

ARSIERO AND POSINA OCCUPIED.

ENEMY'S BARBAROUS METHODS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 27.

An Italian communiqué says:—Between the Adige and the Brenta our advance continued in spite of concentrated artillery and machine-gun fire and rearguard actions favoured by the difficulty of the ground.

We occupied Posina and Arsiero. The enemy barbarously burned Arsiero, Asiago and many villages. A hundred naked corpses of Italian soldiers were found in mire near Magna Boschi.

According to a telegram from Amsterdam an Austrian communiqué says in order to retain full freedom of action we have shortened our front at some points between the Adige and the Brenta.

AUSTRIANS SEEKING NEW LINE OF RESISTANCE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, June 28.

The "Civil and Military Gazette's" correspondent cables:—

"The Times" Milan correspondent says, the Austrians are seeking a new line of resistance, but it is unlikely that they will be allowed time to mature these plans. Italian heavy guns are now numerous. General Cardona has revealed only a part of his manoeuvre.

IRISH PROPOSALS.

MEETING OF UNIONIST PARTY,

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, June 27.

Lords Midleton and Salisbury to-day attended a Unionist conference at the Colonial Office, presidel over by Mr. Bonar Law, to discuss the Irish proposals.

A meeting of the whole Unionist Party to consider the matter will be held on Wednesday.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

FIRST ROYAL REPRESENTATIVE IN IRELAND.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 27.

It is reported that the Duke of Connaught will be the first Royal representative in self-governing Ireland.

CASEMENT TRIAL.

CASE FOR THE CROWN CONCLUDED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 27.

No fresh evidence was brought forward in the Casement trial to-day.

The case for the Crown was concluded and the court adjourned.

FINANCE BILL.

INCOME-TAX AMENDMENT ADOPTED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, June 27.

The Commons adopted the amendment to the Finance Bill, providing that British residents in India, China and elsewhere abroad, who are nominally domiciled in Great Britain, shall not pay income-tax on Government securities.

WAR ANNIVERSARY.

SPECIAL PRAYERS TO BE OFFERED.

(REUTERS' TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, June 28.

The Archbishops have recommended that special services be held on August 4th and that business be suspended to as great an extent as possible.

ECONOMIC CONFERENCE.

FRENCH GOVERNMENT ACCEPTS ALL RESOLUTIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, June 28.

The Government has agreed to all the resolutions of the Economic Conference Another conference is being considered to deal with more extensive measures.

GREECE AND THE ALLIES.

RELATIONS GETTING FRIENDLY.

PROSPECTS OF A SOUND UNDERSTANDING.

(REUTERS' TELEGRAM.)

ATHENS, June 27.

The relations of Greece with the Entente are rapidly assuming their former friendliness.

It is understood that M. Romanos, the Greek Minister in Paris, has been entrusted with the task of establishing a sound understanding.

SEVERE FIGHTING IN MACEDONIA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, June 28.

A "Civil and Military Gazette" special cable says:—

The "Morning Post's" Salonika correspondent states that fighting in Macedonia is becoming more frequent and more serious.

THE ARAB REBELLION.

RESOLUTION OF ALL-INDIA MOSLEM LEAGUE.

(From our Correspondent.)

LUCKNOW, June 28.

At an emergency meeting of the Council of the All-India Moslem League the following Resolution was adopted.

"The Council of the All-India Moslem League places on record its deep abhorrence of the action of the Arab rebels headed by the Sheriff of Mecca, whose outrageous conduct may place in jeopardy the safety and sanctity of the holy places of Islam in the Hedjaz and Mesopotamia and condemns them and their sympathisers as the enemies of Islam."

EGYPTIAN ATTITUDE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

CAIRO, June 27.

The feeling of the Ulema and students of the Mosque of El Azhar, which is the real barometer of Moslem sentiment, is most sympathetic towards the Grand Sheriff's action at Mecca. The Syrians and Mesopotamians are whole-heartedly with the Grand Sheriff.

The general attitude of educated Egyptians is that of the students at El Azhar.

U. S. PRESIDENTAL ELECTION.

NO PROGRESSIVE CANDIDATE.

(REUTERS' TELEGRAM.)

CHICAGO, June 27.

The Progressive Convention has decided not to nominate a Progressive candidate.

HYPHENISM V. AMERICANISM.

MR. HUGHES' VIEWS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

NEW YORK, June 27.

The views of Judge Hughes regarding the German propagandists is indicated in a telegram to the Progressive Committee at Chicago thanking it for its support, condemning the policy of Mr. Wilson and denouncing the use of American soil "as a base for alien intrigues and conspiracies and for fomenting disorders in the interest of any foreign nation."

MEXICAN SITUATION.

CARRANZA SUGGESTS MEDIATION.

(REUTERS' TELEGRAM.)

WASHINGTON, June 28.

General Carranza has indirectly suggested mediation to the United States.

MEXICAN LIGHT-HOUSES EXTINGUISHED

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

WASHINGTON, June 27.

The Navy Department has warned ships to beware of light-houses in Mexican waters, some of which have been extinguished and the lights of others altered in order to hamper American naval operations.

MR. BALFOUR ON NAVAL BATTLE.

GERMAN LIES: A CONFESSION OF FAILURE.

"VICTORY" FROM WHICH THEY FLED HOME.

(By yesterday's Mail.)

Mr. Balfour, First Lord of the Admiralty, made an important speech on the naval battle at the Imperial Council of Commerce luncheon at the Cannon-street Hotel, London, on June 7.

Responding to the toast of the Imperial Navy, he referred to the fact that the toast was now, in its new form, a sign of the inclusion of those remote regions of the Empire which had had the happiness to take part in the recent victorious engagement. He continued:—

"The pleasure of the triumph with which, under different circumstances, I should have responded to this toast is overshadowed by the tragic news of the sudden loss of a man who was not merely a colleague in the Cabinet but who, perhaps, was the most striking figure of the present time in all the Allied countries engaged in warlike affairs. It must have cast a chill over the whole Empire, and it has deprived us of one of the greatest figures of our time.

"It is not my business on the present occasion to attempt to estimate Lord Kitchener's great career. He has been closely associated with some of the greatest events of the last twenty years that have happened in the Empire. When, in the early days of August 1914, this country suddenly realised that, in order to carry out its treaty obligations, and its obligations of friendship and honour, war with the greatest military power was suddenly forced upon it, it was to Lord Kitchener that the eyes of the people instinctively turned. Lord Kitchener died, as I think he would have wished to die, suddenly, in the height of his fame, and at the work he was doing for his country."

ADMIRALTY FRANKNESS.

Mr. Balfour said he was not going to deal with the details of the great contest They had not got as yet from authentic sources any connected view of the wreck. Admiral Jellicoe's despatch giving his views had not yet been received and, indeed could not be received. The difficulty of writing such a despatch and of collating from innumerable sources all the relative facts which take all the time of a man less heavily burdened with the work of our Grand Fleet.

"Until that despatch comes I neither mean to discuss details nor do I encourage such discussion by others, still less do I propose to quarrel with the German newsmongers over the comparative losses of the two sides. There is no doubt whatever that we have told the truth, and the whole truth. No attempt has been made for an instant to conceal any facts in regard to the losses of our ships. It is equally certain that the work of falsification began on the German side many hours before the Admiralty had received from Admiral Jellicoe the first authentic intimation of what had occurred."

Just before coming to that hall he saw an intercepted German wireless message to the Press of New York, which stated that we had lost a battleship which had been safely in harbour since Thursday last. It was vital to discuss the value of testimony which was obviously tainted at the source—(cheers)—but there were broader considerations which he would venture to lay before them.

GAP BETWEEN MESSAGES.

Before dealing with these, Mr. Balfour referred to the criticism directed against the Admiralty with regard to the method by which they communicated the news of the engagement to the public. "I am entirely responsible for all that," he said, "and naturally responsible for all that was done." He had not been able to see what other course could have been adopted. It was Wednesday afternoon, soon after four o'clock, if his memory served him aright, when the Admiralty got the first communication from the Commander-in Chief that the engagement was commencing. Between that telegram and the telegram received from Admiral Jellicoe on Friday afternoon, the Admiralty received from their admirals no communication at all as to the course of the battle. "Such fragmentary information as we could pick up was obtained by intercepted wireless messages collected and transmitted by us."

Nor was there the least delay on the part of Admiral Jellicoe. When the Admiralty received the first telegram the fleets that had sighted one another and it was evident that an action was about to begin. All through the two days and two nights which intervened the strain on Admiral Jellicoe could never have been for one instant relaxed. "Never would I have been responsible for troubling an admiral with such a responsibility by inquiring for news to satisfy either curiosity—(The rest of Mr. Balfour's sentence was lost in loud cheering.)

FEELING IN THE FLEET.

The first telegram received on Friday afternoon was obviously imperfect. It was all that Admiral Jellicoe had been able to collect up to that time. What were they to do? "I think the responsibility ought to rest with myself. I am quite sure we did the right thing, whatever the consequence, to tell the public what we knew. We got a supplementary telegram about 11-30 to twelve o'clock the same night from Admiral Jellicoe, which showed that many ships had come in than had been supposed, and dwelling in more detail

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HIGH COURT.

APPELLATE SIDE.

BROACH BURIAL GROUND CASE.

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE'S ORDER SET ASIDE.

(Before Justices Batchelor and Shah.)

KING-EMPEROR v. MUKANDRAI ATMARAM DESAI.

This was a reference made to the High Court by Mr. F. J. Taleyarkhan, Sessions Judge of Broach at the instance of Mr. Mukundrai Atmaram Desai, under section 439 of the Criminal Procedure Code with a recommendation that the order promulgated by the late District Magistrate of Broach, Mr. W. C. Alcock, should be set aside as it was without jurisdiction and invalid.

The Sessions Judge in his reference observed:—"The order in question was issued over the District Magistrate's signature and was in the form of a vernacular notice in the following terms. "In pursuance of Order No. 56 (police) of the District Magistrate of Broach dated 23rd September, 1915 all persons are hereby informed that nobody should bury corpses in the Kharaba of the Sarkari Bet adjoining the Ovara of "Dashaswamedh" or anywhere else in the Jadeshwar Bet, and if anybody does so he will be criminally prosecuted for disobedience to this order."

The order in pursuance of which the notice was issued was worded "Burial of infants in this Bet must be stopped altogether." The Mamlatdar having suggested to the District Magistrate that it was necessary to promulgate the said order in order to make the breach thereof punishable under the I. P. Code the notice in question was published. The original order referred to infants whereas the notice prohibited the burial of corpses. The fact is that amongst Hindus the corpses of infants only are buried, the other corpses being cremated. So that the notice is only apparently in wider terms than the order underlying it.

The area to which the notice relates includes the site known as "Dashaswamedh Ghat" in respect of which this application is made. Of this site it is stated in the Bombay Gazetteer Vol. II page 348. "On the bank of the Narmada close to the town of Broach is the cite of King Bali's celebrated tenhorse sacrifice or "Dashaswamedh" This sacrifice has added much to the sacred importance of the river. That he may breathe his last on the Narmada bank and that his body may be burnt on the site of "Dashashwamedh" is the last wish of an aged devotee." To the same effect is the testimony of a local historian. The place is known as a burning Ghat but it is unquestionable that it has also always been used as a burial ground for Hindu infants. In an affidavit filed by the applicant it is stated that the place has been set apart for cremation as well as burial of Hindu corpses from time immemorial; and this statement has not been controverted, nor it is suggested that the practise of burying infants in this place is of recent origin.

It appeared from the correspondence produced by the Public Prosecutor that the suggestion for preventing the burial of infant corpses in the place had come from the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner. The Collector forwarded the report to the Broach Municipality with instructions *inter alia* that "measures against the burying of Hindu infants on the river bank above the town can be initiated, and must be." The matter was thereupon referred to the Sanitary Committee of the Municipality which resolved unanimously that in the opinion of the Sanitary Committee the way in which Hindu infants are buried and the site of the burials on the river foreshore do not appear to be very objectionable." The reason why the Collector had in the first instance moved the Municipality to take action in the matter appears to be that under the bye-laws framed under section 48 (g) of the District Municipal Act and sanctioned by Government, the Hindu cremation ghat situated at Dashashwamedh and river side is one of the places within the municipal limits set apart for the disposal of the dead. On the Sanitary Committee's report being forwarded to the Collector, the latter seems to have felt that he ought to take the matter into his own hands and do that which the Municipality declined to do. Then holding that the site did not lie within the municipal limits but was included in the Zadeshwar river Kharaba, he issued the prohibitory notice.

QUESTION OF JURISDICTION.

The Sessions Judge then proceeded to discuss whether the District Magistrate had jurisdiction to issue the prohibitory order to the public. On the materials before him, he was inclined to think that the Dashashwamedh site was not vested in the Municipality except for the purpose of disposal of the dead, but was Government land.

The Sessions Judge continuing said:—If this view be correct, then I think it would be the Municipality who would have jurisdiction in the matter of closing the site for the use of burial. Under section 130 of the Act, even the Municipality can only recommend to Government that a place used for the disposal of the dead should be closed on the ground of its being in such a state as to be, or to be likely to become, injurious to health, and it is the Governor-in-Council who alone has the power to direct that any such place shall cease to be used for the purpose in question. Of course, it is conceivable that the District Magistrate may have co-ordinate jurisdiction in the matter. The question is, has he? If he has, then it can only be under some provision of law. As remarked by Heaton, J., in Emp. v. Bhagubhai (16, Bom., L. R. 686): "The District Magistrate has no power whatever to issue a prohibitory order to the public unless that power is specifically conferred by some provision of the law": vide also the observations in I. L. R., 19 Mad., 464, at p. 469. In the present case, the District Magistrate has not stated anywhere under what provision of law the notice was issued. The Public Prosecutor relied upon section 39, clause (1), of the District Police Act IV of 1890. That section, however, merely authorises the District Magistrate to "make rules or orders regulating the hours during which and the manner in which any place for the disposal of the dead . . . may be used so as to secure the equal and appropriate application of its advantages and accommodation, and to maintain orderly conduct amongst those who resort thereto." The section nowhere authorises the District Magistrate to prevent the public, either wholly or partially, from using a place previously set apart for the disposal of the dead. Where a place is used both for cremation and burial, it cannot be said that prohibiting its use for burial is regulating the manner in which it shall be used so as to secure the equal and appropriate application of its advantages, etc.

There is also no provision in the Criminal Procedure Code empowering the District Magistrate to issue the prohibitory order in question.

In my opinion the District Magistrate's order was made without jurisdiction and is consequently invalid. It seems to me that the Government has advisedly reserved to itself the power to close a place for the disposal of the dead as being a matter deeply affecting the religious feelings of a community and requiring deliberation by the highest authority.

Mr. Justice Batchelor in delivering the judgment of the Court observed:—

The District Magistrate in issuing his sweeping public prohibition has omitted to refer to any provision of law as authorizing such an order. We are, therefore, left to guess under what authority he conceived himself to be acting, and upon this reference there is no appearance before us in support of the order. For the reasons given in the careful letter of reference by the Sessions Judge, Mr. Taleyarkhan, we are of opinion that the order in question is wholly without jurisdiction. We, therefore, set it aside.

Mr. G. N. Thakore appeared for the applicant.

CAUSE LIST.

BOARD FOR THURSDAY, THE 29TH OF JUNE, 1916.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE BEAMAN.

In the Division Court No. 53.

FOR DISMISSAL.

42-16.—Nadirsha & D, Pirojbai Dossabhoy v. Jamasji and Maneckji, a firm, Ard H D & Co., Mer K & Co.

SUITS FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL

LONG CAUSES.

994-15.—C P D'Cunha, Carolina dos Santos, widow, v. Dominic Joseph Pinto, and ors, Captain and V P De Cunha, Part Heard.

213-13.—Edg G W & Co., Bhanalal Lallubhai Banker, a firm, v. S B Tom, Craigie B & C, as Part Heard, 24-6-16.

366-14.—Tyabji D & Co., Cassam Haji Tyab & ors, v. Bai Rehmabai, widow, Chitnis M and K, Part Heard, 24-6-16.

933-15.—Subnis & G, Ramchandra Vishwanath Divadkar, v. Shantaram Vishwanth Divadkar, & ors., Ard H D & Co., Part Heard 19-6-16.

S C 572-16.—Mancher & N, Mayaram Mahidhar Jain & anr, v. Purchotam Hari Ranade & anr, M V Gokhale.

C C 1443-15.—Payne & Co., Goomanji Prithviraj, a firm, v. Mirjamal Gajanand, a firm, Patell & Ez.

1389-15.—Dik Dh & P, Moreshwar Narayen Save, v. Krishnarao Narayen Save, & ors, Jeh M & S, Dik Dh & P.

179-15.—Captain & V., Birdichand Auraj, a firm, v. Nensukhdas Shivarayen, a firm, Madh K & C.

149-15.—Little & Co., Marshall & Co., a firm, v. Naginchand Fulchand, a firm, M B Chothia.

136-13.—Mulji & Tha, Lakhmidas Pragji & Co., a firm, v. The Trustees of the Port of Bombay, Little & Co.

789-13.—Mulla & Mulla, Bejanji Rustomji Kanga, v. The Surat Swadeshi Sp. & Wg. Co., Ld.

956-13.—Payne & Co., The Credit Bank of India, Ld., v. The Bombay Wg. Mfg. Co., Ld.

1065-15.—Rustomji and G, Yemnabai, widow, and ors, v. Noor Mahomedbeg Mahomed & ors, Little & Co., Captain and V, For Postponement.

1298-15.—N C Dalal, Popatlal Anandji, v. Hemchand Raichand & anr.

289-15.—Tyabji D & Co., Doongersey Ganji & Co., a firm, v. Jethmal Jamnadas Bhai K & G.

666-15.—Vachhad & Co., Messrs. Basantlal Gorukhram, a firm, v. Messrs. Shionarayen Baldeodas a firm, Tyabji D & Co.

1289-15.—Bhai K & G, Ranchhordas Dharsey, v. Ramchandra Madhavram Bhat, G H Dalal.

683-15.—Mulji & Tha, Nanabhai Nowroji Sethna, v. Rustomji Furdunji Shroff & ors, Mulji & Th.

1441-15.—N C Dalal Boridas Fozmal, a firm, v. Sawa Tekchand & ors, Mirza M & M.

1477-15.—Maneklal & Co., Bai Santok, widow, v. Chunilal Jivandas, & ors, Payne & Co., Mehta D & L.

449-15.—Captain & V, The Official Assignee of Bombay, v. Pandit Gangaprasad Sukharam.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE KEMP.

In the Division Court No. 40.

TO SPEAK TO THE MINUTES OF CONSENT DECREE.

1348-15.—Patell & Ez, Ramchandra Babaji Moole, v. Ashanna Rainanna Oodmoloo, Ragh N & Co.

SUITS FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL.

LONG CAUSES.

197-15.—Jehangir G and B, Gulam Abbas Tyaballi, v. Hassanalli Tyaballi and anr, Payne & Co., Part Heard.

1620-12.—Edgelow G W & Co., Dhulaji Hakmaji & ors, v. Gulabchand Vanva & ors, Jehangir M & Somji.

1313-15.—Jehangir S M & H, Nemchand Maneckchand & anr, v. Tuljaram Harakhchand & ors, Khanderao L & M, Asst. 3rd Deft only.

1131-13.—Patell and Ez, Rahimtulla Meherally and ors, v. Kassambhai Allibhai, Payne and Co.

183-16.—Payne and Co., Khensabai, widow and anr, v. Sir Ibrahim Rahimtulla, Kt and ors, Payne and Co., Patell & Ez.

767-15.—Motichand & D, Dhanji Rugnath Mody & ors, v. Benkorebai, & ors, Madh K & Co., Edg G W & Co.

47-15.—Little & Co., The Indian Specie Bank Ld, (in liquidation), v. Nagindas Harjiwandas Nanawati, Hiralal & Co.

93-16.—Mulla and Mulla, Haji Aba Haji Noor Mahomed v. Ibram Sulleman, Payne & Co.

47-16.—Dubash & Co., Sherinbai, v. Jaiji Nowroji Dubash & ors, Surveyor & Co.

82-16—Little & Co., Arshabai and anr. v. Gordhandas Ranchhorddas Bhagat, Edg. G W & Co.

Broacha v. Kaluram Ramsukh a

1229-15—Payne & Co., Shapurji Burjoji firm Dik Dh & P Pandia & Co.

243-16.—Kharas & Co., for a pauper, Tookaram Raghoo Bhoir, v. Sonabai, widow,

463-16.—Little & Co., Pestonji Framji Shroff v. Furdoonji Framji Bode alias Doctor, S M & Co.

793-15.—N C Dalal, Syed Hoosein Syed Ramzan, v. Hazrabai, widow, & ors, Jam R & D, Patell & Ez.

416-16.—Motichand & D, Dharamchand Anandji & Co., a firm, v. Jamnadas Girdhar, Bhimji & Co.

FREE FIGHT ON BOARD A SHIP.

RESENTMENT AT BEING CALLED A "GERMAN."

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, June 28.

Late on Monday night Lall Bazar police received information that there was a general fight on board the S. S. St. Helen lying off No. 6 jetty. About six European sergeants proceeded to the vessel and it transpired that one of the able bodied seamen, about 60 years old, called the ship's carpenter a German. The man, who is a Norwegian, resented and from hot words they came to blows. The crew of the steamer being a mixed one of Britishers and foreigners, parties took sides, outcome of which was a general melee. Some of the wounded men were sent to the hospital.

BOMBAY POLICE COURTS.

A BURGLARY IN SERANGSTREET.

CULPRIT GETS TWO YEARS RIGOROUS IMPRISONMENT.

Before the Second Presidency Magistrate at Mazagaon, Khan Bahadur M. H. Taki of the C. I. D. charged Budha Hasan and Hussein Karim, with burglary and with the theft of ornaments and sovereigns of the aggregate value of Rs. 5,775,, and Chandbi, the second accused's daughter with receiving and retaining the stolen property.

It was alleged on behalf of the prosecution that Haji Kassum Haji Joosab, who lived in Serang Street went to his shop as usual on the morning of the 25th May last, leaving his wife at home who also left the house at about 3 p.m. to attend a wedding. When she returned at about 5-30 p.m. she found that the door was broken open, also the cupboard, and things were strewn on the floor. Haji Cassum on being sent for found that ornaments had been taken away. Inspector Taki suspected Budha Hasan, but he had made himself scarce and so could not be caught, but Inspector Taki watched Chandbi's movements, as she was in the keeping of Budha. A fortnight later Chandbi and her father left for Baroda and on getting down at that place they were arrested, when the whole of the stolen property, with the exception of a few sovereigns was found tied round Chandbi's waist in an old stocking. During the search Hussein intervened and told the Police that the property belonged to him;he also was thereupon searched and some 20 sovereigns were found on him.

The first accused denied having committed the theft, and pleaded not guilty. The second accused pleaded guilty, and admitted committing the theft. Chandbi said she did not know that the property was stolen.

The Magistrate acquitted the first accused, and the second accused was given two years' rigorous imprisonment,, as he had a previous conviction. The case against Chandbi was adjourned.

DISOBEYING LAWFUL ORDER OF POLICE.

APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER GRANTED.

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, the Chief Presidency Magistrate disposed of the matter in which at the instance of Mr. S. F. R. Vicaji, a notice had been issued against Inspector DeBurgh calling upon him to show cause why the case in which he had charged Mr. Vicaji with disobeying the lawful orders of the Police, should not be transferred from the Court of the Second Presidency Magistrate to some other Court. Mr. H. A. H. Payne appeared in support of the notice.

Mr. Vicaji alleged that Inspector DeBurgh charged him in the Court of the Second Presidency Magistrate, with driving his motor car negligently at the junction of Sion and Dharavi roads on the 17th May last, and also with having failed to slow down his car when signalled to do so by a Police sepoy on duty and thus disobeying the lawful orders of the Police. The summons in the cases were served upon Mr. Vicaji on or about the 9th June. On the 13th instant they applied for witness summons against Superintendent Stenson making it returnable on the 14th, the day fixed for the hearing of the cases. The Magistrate refused to issue the summons on the ground that the application was made too late. Subsequently he (Mr. Vicaji) was convicted of rash driving and fined Rs. 15. Mr. Vicaji feared that he would not get a fair trial in the other case as, he alleged among other things, the Magistrate had refused to issue the witness summons without reasonable cause, and formed a hasty judgment in the case.

The second Presidency Magistrate in the course of his report, stated that Mr. Payne's clerk applied for the witness summons after 5 p.m. on the 13th instant and he (the Magistrate) consequently refused the application. Mr. Stenson was present in Court the next day and conducted the prosecution but no attempt was made to examine him as a defence witness. The other grounds for the transfer were more in the nature of an application for revision. Personally he (the Magistrate) had no objection to the case being transferred.

Mr. Payne addressed the Court.

Mr. DeBurgh said he had no objection to a transfer.

The Chief Presidency Magistrate transferred the case to his own Court.

THEFT OF A PURSE.

OLD OFFENDER SENTENCED TO FOUR MONTHS' RIGOROUS IMPRISONMENT.

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, before the Third Presidency Magistrate, Sub Inspector L. DeSouza charged Ramdas Gopal, a Hindu, with the theft of a purse, containing Rs. 5.

It appeared from the evidence that Jagannath Janwarinsinh, a sepoy of the 9th Bhopal Infantry, who recently returned from the front and is now a patient in the Marine Lines War Hospital, was taking a bath under a water tap, when the accused walked up, and removed the purse which Jagannath had left on a nail. The accused ran away but was subsequently arrested by the Police. He was convicted, and as he had two previous convictions, he was sentenced to four months' rigorous imprisonment.

HOUSE BREAKING AND THEFT.

OLD OFFENDER COMMITTED TO SESSIONS,

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Sub-Inspector, Acharekar charged Ganpat Narayan, a Hindu, with house-breaking and theft.

The case for the prosecution was that on the afternoon of the 23rd instant, Musaiprasad Shunkerprasad, a rent-collector, on his return home from his rounds, found the accused coming out of his room which had been previously locked. He tried to seize the accused, when the latter dropped a box containing Rs. 16, and assaulted him. The Police came up and arrested the accused.

As the accused had eight previous convictions, the Magistrate committed him to take his trial at the Sessions.

"AFTER-CARE FUND."

DAVID SASSOON REFORMATORY.

Amount received upto 16th June, 1916 Rs. 14,511-12-0. The following sums amounting to Rs. 650 have been since received from:—Mr. Ralph Kidd Rs. 25; Mr. John Knowles Rs. 25; Messrs. Ardesir Hormusji Dinshaw & Co. Rs. 20; Mr. R. Woollcombe Rs. 50; Mr. C. N. Moberley Rs. 25 Mr. D. M. Wadia Rs. 25; Mr. G. A. Gahagan Rs. 25; Mr. C. Robinson Rs. 30; Mr. L. Schoen Rs. 30; Mr. Dadiba M. Dalal Rs. 100; Mr. F. Hearn Rs. 25; Mr. B. S. Patel Rs. 50; Miss Picken Rs. 5; Mr. S. N. Dabholkar Rs. 50; Mr. Jehangir B. Petit Rs. 50; Colonel Ashton-Street Rs. 50; Mr. F. Mooraj Rs. 20; Mr. H. A. W. Brent Rs. 15; Mr. J. M. Bannister Rs. 15; and Prof. J Nelson Fraser Rs. 15. Total amount subscribed upto 28th June 1916 Rs. 15,161-12-0; Minimum amount required Rs. 20,000-0-0; Donations will be gratefully accepted and duly acknowledged by Colonel Lloyd Jones, I.M.S., H. M.'s Mint.

ALLEGATIONS AGAINST A PLEADER.

EVIDENCE FOR THE COMPLAINANT.

At the Mazagon Police Court, yesterday the Fourth Presidency Magistrate resumed the hearing of the case in which Superintendent Morris charged Mr. Yacoob Ibrahim Sayani, pleader, with having used a forged document as genuine, with cheating in respect of some title deeds belonging to Mr. Kazi Mahomed Ismail Kazi Rahimtulla and with criminal breach of trust.

The accused was defended by Mr De Qunsdro.

Karim Ghulam Hussein a broker examined by Mr. Morris said the complainant told him some months ago that he had lost some title deeds regarding his Mustan Tank Road and other properties. He gave certain information which he had got, to the complainant. On the 16th February he met Jetha Devji. He asked witness to raise Rs. 6,000 on the Mustan Tank Road house which belonged to one Kazi. He knew one Chamanlal Lallubhai, who is the complainant's mehta, whom witness told about the title deeds. Witness then went to a Marwadi, Punamchand Megha, and saw the title deeds there which were mortgaged. Witness told this to the complainant. He again went to the shop a second time with one Bhanushanker Bhat and another, who inspected the papers, and made notes. The third time when he went there Inspector Power accompanied him and the papers were handed over to the officer.

Kasra Pusa, a Marwadi examined by Mr. Morris said Jetha Dalal came to him and wanted to raise some money on a house at Islampara Road. He saw the property and agreed to lend Rs. 5,000 at 8½ per cent per annum. The witness then advanced Rs. 3,150 to one Nurani, and the balance was paid to Dattoo a bond writer. The accused was with him then in Nurani's office at Mandvi. They returned to Dattoo's office and the balance was paid to him and the papers were handed to the witness the next day, as the owner's signature had to be taken on the deed. The witness had not received any part of the sum back; he had acted as an agent in this matter of his brother-in-law, Punamchand Megha.

After some further evidence had been adduced the hearing was adjourned.

DARING BURGLARY IN CALCUTTA.

WIDOWS ROBBED OF RS. 39,000.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, June 27.

A most daring and sensational theft involving loss of over Rs. 39,000 was committed at 62A, Harrison Road, last night. This house is the residence of a widow named Noyanmoni Dasi, who lives there with another widow, wife of her deceased son. Both these widows left the house at 11 in the morning The durwan of the house, Rambhoroshi Gowala, an ex-constable of Calcutta Reserve Force, accompanied the women, but as soon as he reached the house in Srigopal Mullick's Lane where the women went, he wanted the key of Harrison Road house on pretext that he had left another key inside which he badly wanted. The women gave him the key of the gate and the durwan left at once. The durwan, who works in the office of the Imperial Tobacco Company in the day, went to his work.

The widows returned home at 8 p.m., when they found the outer gate under lock and key, but the door of the house was found closed from inside. They also perceived that a light was burning within the house and heard the noise of people doing something. So they raised an alarm which brought some neighbours to the scene. The closed door was then opened and the culprits who were inside the house cleared out through another part of the house. On entering the house the widows and their neighbours saw that property consisting of cash, jewellery, a richly embroidered shawl, and other valuables worth Rs. 39,000 had been removed. Information was sent to the police, who came and held an investigation. They suspected the durwan and have taken him into custody.

CLEANERS ON MOTOR CARS.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE"

Sir,—I notice in your issue of Tuesday a letter from a correspondent protesting against the prohibition of cleaners on motor cars and taxis plying for hire which has recently been enforced by the Police authorities. Your correspondent gives, or I should say attempts to show, reasons against this enforcement both in the interests of driver and passenger.

I think, however, that if there are no cleaners the driver must assume full responsibility which he ought rightly to but which otherwise he is apt to place on the cleaner knowing all blame attaches to himself in case of accident or other delinquency and so have an easier time and do as little work himself.

Most drivers are recruited from the illiterate classes and earn a very fair scale of pay which possibly they never earned elsewhere before the advent of motor traction in Bombay. The temptation, therefore, is too strong for these classes with an assistant to become lax in their own legitimate duties.

As a precautionary measure to ensure against a repetition of offences for which the restriction was enforced it is a safe remedy and will generally be approved by the travelling public. The order is a wise one which will work for the good of not only owners of cars but also of the chauffeurs, who will have to rely more on their own exertions.—Yours, etc.,

AN OBSERVER.

June 27th, 1916.

PERSISTENTLY DISOBEYING ORDER OF INTERNMENT.

"CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTOR" SENTENCED UNDER DEFENCE ACT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, June 28.

Mr. H. G. Walton, District Magistrate of Jhansi, has disposed of a case in which Mr. Fazlal Hasan of Aligarh was charged under the Defence of India Act for disobeying the order of internment. The accused was interned by the Government of the United Provinces. It was alleged that he failed to report himself at the Kotwali on 9th May. He posted letters without allowing inspection and he departed outside Lalitpur municipal limits. The Magistrate in convicting the accused said:—

"He was first committed to jail at Lalitpur because he announced his intention to obey none of the directions contained in the internment order. He was released on the 24th April and given an opportunity of obeying the order, but from the evidence on record and from his own admissions he never obeyed a single direction, with the doubtful exception, that he occupied the house which the Joint Magistrate at Lalitpur approved of. Three specific acts of disobedience, which have been selected for embodiment in the charge-sheet, are admitted by the accused. The accused has stated with a view to mitigation of the sentence that he disobeyed the order on conscientious grounds. This may be so. But it is incapable of proof. The history of his sojourn in Lalitpur suggests to my mind that the Sub-Divisional Magistrate treated his lapses with the greatest lenience and endeavoured by sending Mirali Raza to reason with him, to persuade him to submit to order. The accused has met these overtures with the most stubborn resistance. I convict the accused Fazlul Hasan of three offences punishable under rule 5 of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules. Government had decided under the powers conferred upon it that public interest demands the internment of the accused. He has continuously refused to submit. I sentence him to eight months' simple imprisonment for each offence, the sentences to run consecutively."

INDIA CONSOLIDATION BILL.

MOSLEM LEAGUE'S PROTEST.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LUCKNOW, June 28.

The Council of the All-India Moslem League adopted the following resolution and cabled to the Secretary of State for India:—

"The Council of the All-India Moslem League protest against the Government of India Bill in Parliament and they view it with grave apprehension, particularly in respect of the right of suits against the Secretary of State for India and note other controversial matters of far-reaching consequence therein requiring proper deliberation and urge that the matter not being of an urgent character, the Bill should be dropped."

BOMBAY WOMEN'S WAR FUND.

MEETING OF POONA BRANCH.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

POONA, June 28.

A public meeting in aid of the Women's Branch of the Bombay Presidency War and Relief Fund was held this evening at the Council Hall, Lord Willingdon presiding. A large number of ladies of all communities were present including several purdah ladies.

Mr. Seddon, on behalf of Mrs. Seddon, the President of the Poona Branch of the Fund, read the report and said that in February the number of wounded was 300, while now it was 800.

Among the speakers were Major-General Wapshare, the Chief of Ichalkaranji, and Major Preston who had spent many months in Mesopotamia.

His Excellency in concluding the meeting, thanked those who had worked so generously towards alleviating the sufferings of the soldiers. He said he hoped the ladies of Bombay Presidency would stick to their work so that they might be able to give to Lady Willingdon on her return a good account of their stewardship.

FATHER GOODIER ON INDIAN CATHOLICS.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Your article on "Odious Comparisons" in your paper to-day will meet with general and unqualified approval among the Indian Catholic Community. Our community is a poor one and sadly lacks men of wealth and leisure, who could take an active part in the political affairs of our country. Yet we know our duty to God and our country and will never fail in that duty on any occasion. Fr. Goodier has most offensively and gratuitously misrepresented our feelings on this point.—Yours, etc.,

AN INDIAN CATHOLIC.

Bombay, 28th June, 1916.

Three Chinese vegetable gardens were damaged yesterday morning by the bursting of the Elephant Tank Bund to the north of Ahwedagon Pagoda. A great volume of water swept down into the gardens which were inundated. The bund, which was at first four feet square, had been increased to nearly twenty feet square. The whole of the Myenigon village was flooded, but fortunately there was no loss of life, as the villagers had sufficient warning to leave their houses. The disaster is attributed to the heavy rains in the past few days.

MR. BALFOUR ON NAVAL BATTLE.

(Continued from page 5.)

on the enemy's losses. That was sent to the Press at once, but as it only reached the Press at 12 or 12-30 I may presume that all the leading articles had been written.

"I do not think, personally that the first impression founded upon inadequate information, ought to have been given to the public. However that may be the course of events had been that the public did at first receive an unnecessary shock of alarm from which I may say they recovered with extreme rapidity, and the only people for whom I am sorry are the Fleet. Well knowing that they had inflicted a blow of the severest character on their opponents, and not unnaturally expectant of a congratulatory reception, they found this rather tragic note struck in the morning papers of Saturday, and from what I have heard they regarded it as quite unnecessary and very undeserved. If my candour, if my desire, immediately to let the public know the best and worst that I knew was in any way responsible for that result I can only express my regret."

IMPERIAL ISSUE.

Turning to the broad imperial issue of the action the First Lord said he did not doubt that the losses of the Germans were bigger than ours. "If it is true that the German Fleet had really inflicted defeat upon the British, according to the German account, how comes it that their next procedure was to rush off when the main battle fleet under Admiral Jellicoe appeared on the scene. The more they multiply and the more they invent losses by the British, the more imaginary battle ships are sent to the bottom, the more evident it becomes that those who tried to accomplish this wonderful service, as soon as they accomplished it, ran away.

"Of course we must distinguish. All this talk about the German High Seas Fleet apparently desiring to meet the British Fleet which has apparently desired to avoid them, was never the conviction of the German Headquarter Staff. The German people were persuaded that their fleet was not only a very good fleet, which it is, but that it was a fleet superior to their foes. Acting on that view we have had all this talk about the British remaining in port, we have had much boasting and, I understand, the putting out of flags in Berlin and other cities and holidays promised to the hardworked German school-children. (Laughter.) Acting on that policy, and in order to keep to this illusion, we have had these raids upon the British coast in which a fast battle-cruiser often rushes across the North Sea fires for half-an-hour, and then rushes back before it can be caught. Tip and run! (Laughter.)

FRUITS OF VICTORY.

"All that was in order to keep up the spirits of the German people in respect to maritime affairs. But, depend on it, the German Headquarters have never been under these delusions. They know quite well they possess a fleet, admirable as regards its material and admirable as regards the personal element, with competent officers and brave crews and all the makings of a great fleet, but they also know that that fleet, with all its merits, is not in a position to meet the British Fleet on even terms—(applause)—and when Sir John Jellicoe came up with the main body of his fleet they felt it to be bad from their own point of view, bad in strategy and bad in practice, to allow themselves to be involved in a fight, and they withdrew, as inferior forces always must withdraw unless they mean to risk destruction.

"There are people who have described the battle as indecisive. From one point of view it was indecisive. But if by indecisive you mean that the result of the battle was to leave two forces of the same relative strength as they were before the battle you are making a profound mistake. The Germans are relatively far inferior to what they were before the battle. Neither in the North Sea, nor in the Baltic, can they for many months attempt the organised fleet effort which might have been in their power before the battle. The battle has not been indecisive. The victory is not merely a victory on paper in which the side which drives the other off the field of conflict can claim a victory. It is more than that. Not merely have we carried off the honours of the day. We have carried off substantial fruits. And if you doubt that, I ask you to consider what it is we are getting and hoping to get out of our sea power, and what it is that Germany would like to wrest from us."

CONFIDENCE AND TRIUMPH.

There were problems of blockade, of invasion, and of the command of the seas for ordinary commercial purposes. In respect of which of these was not the German position worse than it was before the battle began. The blockade was more secure than ever it was, and we have it in our power to increase our grip. As far as naval power was concerned, it had increased rather than diminished. Was the problem of invasion an inch nearer solution than it was before the battle? On the contrary, if any German seriously entertained the view that invasion was possible did he not now regard that as one of the many unfulfilled dreams which the war had dissipated for ever. (Cheers.) As to the general power of our fleet to prevent enemy commerce going on in time of war, that was complete before the battle, and it was complete still.

"If we look at the battle of last Wednesday in the broad light which I have ventured to suggest to-day, without adding thereto for a moment, and, until we got fuller information, without discussion as to either the movements of particular ships or the orders given by particular admirals—if we look at it in this broad light, and in its relation to the world contest now going on, then surely you are justified in drinking the toast of the Imperial Navy in a spirit of even greater confidence, greater hope, and greater triumph than would have been possible ten days ago." (Cheers.)

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COMMERCIAL.

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

Liverpool, June 27th.

	Bales.
Total Day's Sales at Liverpool	4,000
" " " on Spec. & for Exp.	400
" " " of East Indian	300
" " Imports	20,000
Mid. Americans	8.24—2
Egyptian F. G. F.	11.78—7
New York 11 a.m. (As known in Liverpool at closing time.)	July 13.10—8
	Oct. 13.28—5
New Orleans 10 a.m.	July 13.02+1
	Oct. 13.15—3

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

LIVERPOOL, June 28.

Total Imports 8,000

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Months.	To-day's opening price.
June	8.01
June-July	7.96
July-Aug.	7.94
Aug.-Sept.	7.89
Sept.-Oct.	7.85
Oct.-Nov.	7.81
Nov.-Dec.	7.77
Dec.-Jan.	7.75
Jan.-Feb.	7.74
Feb.-Mar.	7.73
Mar.-Apl.	7.73
Apl.-May	7.73
May-June	7.72
June-July	7.70

Prices taken at 10-10 a.m. nearest actual values were two points down all round on the previous close.

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, June 27th.

Months.	To-day's closing price.	
June	8.03	
June-July	7.98	+2
July-Aug.	7.96	+3
Aug.-Sept.	7.91	
Sept.-Oct.	7.87	
Oct.-Nov.	7.83	
Nov.-Dec.	7.79	+2
Dec.-Jan.	7.77	
Jan.-Feb.	7.76	
Feb.-Mar.	7.75	
Mar.-Apl.	7.75	+1
Apl.-May	7.75	
May-June	7.74	+2
June-July	7.72	

CLOSING EGYPTIAN FUTURE PRICES.

Liverpool, June 27th.

Months.	To-day's price.
July	11.46—2
November	11.27—2
January	11.10—3

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, June 27th.

M. G. Bengal Good	6.10	Unchgd.
" " Fully Good	6.25	
" " Fine	6.40	
" No. 1 Oomra Good	6.75	
" " Fine	7.05	
" Broach Good	7.00	
" " Fully Good	8.05	
" " Fine	8.20	
" Scinde Good	6.15	
" " Fully Good	6.30	
" " Fine	6.45	

MANCHESTER MARKET.

Liverpool, June 27th.

Tone of Cloths :—Firm—no business.
Tone of Yarns :—Quiet but Steady.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, June 27th.

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	25,000
" Exports to Great Britain	1,000
" " to Continent	19,000
Futures at New York July	12.95—16
Futures at New York October	13.15— 9
Spot Cotton at New York	13.10—20
Spot Cotton at New Orleans	13.06 unchgd.
Tone of Spot Cotton :—	
Futures at New Orleans July	12.94— 1
Futures at New Orleans October	13.03— 8
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	9½ Unchgd
Demand Bills	4.75½ Unchgd
Silver Commercial Bars	65⅝+¼

MONEY MARKET.

London, June 27th.

Bar Silver Spot	31½+⅛
Closing Tone of Silver :—Coinage and Indian buying Steady.	
Discount, Bank of England Rate 5 per cent. since 8th August 1914.	
Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	5⅛ Unchgd
Discount Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st	5 3/16
" Fine Trade Bills 3 months	5⅛
" " " 6 "	5⅛
Interest day to day loans	4
" 7 day market loans	4½
Consols 2½ %	60⅜+⅛ Unchgd.
Rupee Paper 3½ %	52
Indian Stock 3½ % Sterling Loan	80⅛
Government Securities 3 %	60½
Ex. On London at Paris Francs 28.14—.02	

WAR LOANS.

London, June 27th.

3½ % 1925—1928	£89½—½
4½ % 1925—1945	£96 5/16+3/16

SKINS.

London, June 27th.

Sheep skin sale closed to-day. Prime and medium strong, others quiet.
Sheep skins sold 650,000.
Madras Prime, Madras Medium, Madras Ordinary, Sheep skins Bombay } Sixpence to ninepence dearer.
Madras Ordinary } Par to a penny lower.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, June 27th.

WHEAT.
Wheat Choice White Karachi, per 492 lbs. C.I.F. June. Sellers Unchgd. .. 55/6
SOUTH AMERICAN.
Rosario Santa Fe—61½ lbs. June. Sellers .. 49/6+6d.
AUSTRALIAN.
South Australian. April. Sellers. Unchgd. .. 65
Victorian. April Sellers Unchgd. .. 67
BARLEY.
Karachi Barley. June-July. Quoted. Unchgd. .. 47
SEEDS.
Rapeseed, Ferozepore usual Bold 416 lbs 85% ex-Ship June-July Sellers .. 60/0+6d.
Rapeseed, Brown Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship June-July Sellers. .. 60/6+6d.
Linseed Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship July-August Paid small seed .. 67/6+1s.
Toria Rapeseed June-July Sellers. .. 61+6d.
LINSEED.
Linseed Argentine (LaPlata) June-July Sellers Unchgd. 65
COTTONSEED.
Bombay Cottonseed (sound delivered per ton) June-July Hull Nominal .. £12/0/0 Unchgd.
METALS.
English best Selected Copper .. £130unchgd.
Standard Copper G. M. B. .. £102½—¼
Copper Braziers .. £156 unchgd.
Yellow Metal .. 15½—¼
Hard Spelter 60 nominal—1½
Tin Plates I.C. Coke 14 × 20, 112 sheets per box weighing 90 lbs. C.I.F. Liverpool. .. 18/9 Unchgd
Iron Corrugated sheets 24 gauge G.O.B. 4 % F.O.B. Liverpool .. £27/0/0
Pig Iron No. 1 Gartsherrie .. 6/4/6
FREIGHT.
Coals :—Cardiff to Bombay Canal. Nominal.
JAVA SUGAR.
Raw Java Nos. 16/18 C. & F. Calcutta, Aug.-Oct. .. 21/6 Unchgd.
Raw Java, C. & F. Bombay and Karachi, Aug.-Oct. .. 21/7½
Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta, Aug.-Oct. 23/6
Fine White Java, C. & F. Bombay and Karachi, Aug.-Oct. .. 23/7½
RUBBER.
Para Rubber :—Fine hard cure July-Aug. Value unchgd. .. 2/7½
Plantation First Latex Crepe July Paid .. 2/5+½
LONDON, June 27.
LINSEED.
Linseed Calcutta, July-Sept., sellers. 67

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BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON.

(By our Commercial Correspondent.)

BOMBAY, June 28.

The market to-day has ruled quiet but steady. There has been some enquiry for September and January Akolas, but only a small business has been reported.
Ready Cotton is in fair demand.
We quote:—
Akola July 264½.
Akola September 267½.
Akola January 270.
Fully Good Bengal January 228½.
Good Broach April 294.

Messrs. PATEL BROS. MID-DAY QUOTATIONS.

Growth.	Fine.	F.G.	Good.	Delivery.
M. G. Broach	240	229	294	Apr. 1917.
M. G. Bengals	239	229	Jan.	"
M. G. Bengals	239/1		July	1916.
M. G. Sind Punjab				
M. G. Khandesh				
M.G. Wardha Hinganghat.				
M. G. Nagpore				
M. G. Akola Khamgaon	266			Sept. 1916.
Do.	269			Jan. 1917.
Do.	270/1			J/July '16.
H. G. Westerns			309	
M. G. Westerns			314	"
H. G. Compta			332	"
Saw Ginned Dharwar			305	"

TOTAL RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS YEAR DURING THE SAME PERIOD.

Growths.	1915-6.	1914-5.	Difference.
Khandesh	358,088	243,369	+ 114,719
Central India	286,963	173,264	+ 58,699
Barsi & Nagar	247,237	161,885	+ 85,352
Berar	681,671	427,645	+ 254,026
Central Provinces	180,955	214,289	— 33,334
Compta & Dharwar	151,290		
Northrs-Westerns	125,688		
Cocanada	20,378	293.036	+ 35,190
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	19,870		
Dhollera	101,252	189,424	— 88,172
Broach	261,636	241,379	+ 20,257
Rajputana	86,971		
N. W. Prov.	312,084	546,211	+ 34,757
Sind-Punjab	181,943		
Persian	525	767	— 242
American		195	— 195
Egyptian	792	610	+ 182
Other Sorts	2,505	1,558	+ 947
Total	2,965,848	2,403,632	+472,216

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Market Quotation for Ready and Forward Delivery Contracts as fixed by the Rate Committee of the Exchange.

COLABA, 28th June, 1916, 5-30 p.m.

Growths.	Super-fine.	Fine.	Fully Good.	Delivery.
Bengals (H.G.)			228	25th Jan. 1917
Bengals (M.G.)	240	230	218	Ready & July
Scinde-Punjab (M.G.)		223	213	Ready
Khandesh (M.G.)		250	236	Ready
		256		25th Jan. 1917
Jalna (M.G.)			252	Ready
Barsee (M.G.)			282	Ready
Wadhwan (M.G.)		303		Ready
Do. (H.G.)		296		Ready
Akola-Kghm. Karanja (M.G.)		262	254	Ready
		264		July
		268/9		Sept. & 25th Jan. 1917
Oomrawatee Descriptions (M.G.)		262	254	Ready & July
Dhamangaum-Poolgaum (M.G.)		265	257	Ready & July
Yeotmal (M.G.)		269	261	Ready & July
Nagpore-Kampti (M.G.)		275	267	Ready & July
Wardha-H'ghat (M.G.)		276	268	Ready & July
Broach (M.G.)		285	280	Ready
		284		July
Miraj (M.G.)				294 25 April 1917
				339 Ready
				335 June/July
Mathia (M.G.)		248	234	Ready
Bhagalkote-Bijapur (M.G.)				321 Ready
				316 June/July
Sawgd.-Dharwar				310 Ready
				305 June/July
Westerns (M.G.)				316 Ready & J/J
" (H.G.)				310 Ready & J./J.
Compta (M.G.)				335 Ready
				330 June/July

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

The following are to-day's closing rates as issued by the Marwari Chamber of Commerce.

Bombay, June 28th— 4 p.m.

	Bazaar Terms. Rs. a. p.	Rail Delivery. Rs. a. p.
Ready		
Wheat, White Delhi 70-30	36 0 0	5 2 6
Wheat, White Cawnpore 70-30	35 0 0	5 7 9
Wheat, Karachi Bangia	35 0 0	5 7 9
Rapeseed, Brown Delhi	6 2 0	6 8 0
Rapeseed, Brown Cawnpore	6 3 0	6 9 0
Rapeseed, Yellow Cawnpore	7 0 0	7 5 0
Linseed, Brown Bold	8 0 0	8 6 9
Linseed, Brown Thin	7 10 0	8 0 0
Teelseed, White 85.15	44 0 0	....
" Gajar 75.25	43 0 0	....
" Black	37 0 0	....
" Gajar 50.50	42 0 0	....
Poppyseed, White	6 10 0	7 3 0
Groundnuts	45 0 0	....
Mowraseed	4 0 0	4 4 0
Forward.	Rs. a. p.	
Wheat Augt.-Sept.	5 15 0	
Linseed September	8 9 0	

Castorseed.
Ready ..... Rs. 7-6, R.D. per cwt.
Cottonseeed ..... Rs. 25 B. T. per candy.

RECEIPTS OF COTTON AND PRODUCE.

The following are the receipts of Cotton, Wheat and Seeds, by rail and sea into Bombay during the 24 hours up till 6 p.m. on 27th June 1916:—

Cotton	5,746 Bales.
Wheat	15,701 cwts
Linseed	14,085 "
Rape, Rai and Mustard Seed	285 "
Ginjellyseed	1,391 "
Groundnuts	3,255 "
Castorseed	2,660 "
Rice	1,723 "
Myrabollams	1,722 "
Cottonseed	5,741 "
Mowraseed	433 "
Gram	3,498 "
Joowar	2,083 "
Barley	4,263 "

EXCHANGE.

Banks' Selling Rates:—

T. T. Ready	1s. 4 1-16d.
D. D. Mail	1s. 4 3-32d.
T. T. Forward	1s. 4 3-32d. Aug.

Banks' Buying Rates:—

Credits 3 Months' Sight Ready	1s. 4 13-32d.
Do. do. Forward	1s. 4 7-16d. Aug.
Do. 6 m-s Ready	1s. 4 5/8d.
Francs 3 m-s do.	195.
60 d-s Hongkong	153½
Do. Shanghai	216½
Do. Yokohama	154½

BULLION.

	Rs.
English Bar Gold	27-0-0
Australian do.	26-0-0
Bombay do.	25-12-0
English Shield Sovereigns	17-0-0
English Dragons	16-0-0
Silver ex-duty Ready	80-1-0

SHARE MARKET.

(From our Correspondent.)

BOMBAY, June 27.

The Cotton Mill Share Market revived a little to-day though the opening was weak. Tata Iron and Steel Deferred shares firmed up before close.
In Mill shares for July delivery Davids closed at Rs. 467½.
Standards were placed at the prices varying from Rs. 1,207½ to Rs. 1,222½, Madhavji from Rs. 1,305 to 1,400 and Central India from Rs. 2,120 to Rs. 2,140.
Swadeshi kept firm at Rs. 1,657½.
Kastoorchands changed hands at Rs. 835.
Currimbhai stood steady at Rs. 240 and Indian Dyeing and Bleachings at Rs. 158¾.
Indore Malwas improved to Rs. 310.
Bombay Floors changed hands at Rs. 920.
Sara Sirargunj Railway shares were in demand at Rs. 96¼.
Bombay Burma Trading shares declined to Rs. 912½.
Bank of India shares improved to Rs. 72.
Bombay Steam Navigation Ordinary shares changed hands at Rs. 237½.
Bombay Electric Tramways Ordinary shares kept steady at Rs. 262½.
Tata Hydro Electric Ordinary shares declined to Rs. 1,315.
Tata Iron and Steel Ordinary shares changed hands in the vicinity of Rs. 673¾. Deferred opened at Rs. 672½, declined to Rs. 672½, but closed at Rs. 687½.
Bundi Cement Co. shares kept in demand at Rs. 13¾.
Alcock and Ashdown were quoted at Rs. 547½.

GOVERNMENT PAPER.

3½ per cent G. P. Notes were placed at about Rs. 79.
4 per cent Conversion Loan was quoted at Rs. 91½ Ex. Warrant, Conversion Warrant at Rs. 10.
4 per cent Port Trust Bonds were placed at Rs. 91½.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC RETURNS.

Comparative Statement of Traffic Earnings for week ending 24th June 1916.

Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company.
(Incorporated in England.)

	Total for the week. Rs.	Total to date. Rs.
Approximate earnings for week ending 24th June, 1916.		
G. I. P. Rly.	17,10,200	2,43,54,645
A. D. C. Rly.	60,100	7,81,957
B. K. Rly.	4,000	50,080
C. B. Rly.	10,200	1,37,017
Total	17,84,500	2,53,32,699
Earnings for corresponding 7 days ending 24th June, 1915.		
G. I. P. Rly.	13,19,883	2,06,42,194
A. D. C. Rly.	44,916	6,25,255
B. K. Rly.	3,997	38,141
C. B. Rly.	7,402	67,181
Total	13,75,498	2,13,72,771
Inc. or Dec. G. I. P. Rly.	+3,90,317	+37,12,451
A. D. C. Rly.	+15,884	+1,56,702
B. K. Rly.	+3	+10,939
C. B. Rly.	+2,798	+69,836

Central Provinces Railways.

	Total for the week. Rs.	Total to date. Rs.
Approximate earnings for week ending 24th June, 1916.	12,200	1,48,606
Earnings for corresponding 7 days ending 24th June, 1915	5,058	79,481
Increase or Decrease	+7,142	+68,525

Dhond Baramati Railway.

	Total for the week. Rs.	Total to date. Rs.
Approximate Earnings for week ending 24th June, 1916	1,600	27,098
Earnings for corresponding 7 days ending 24th June, 1915	968	22,230
Increase or Decrease	+632	+4,868

NOTE—Corrected with audited figures upto 30th April 1916.

CASUALTY LIST.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, June 26.

KILLED.

Major H. De B. Purves, Argyll and Sutherlands.
Second-Lieut. J. Gibson, Devons.
Second-Lieut. A. B. Jebb, Artillery.
Second-Lieut. E. G. Killson, Bedfords.
Second-Lieut. K. H. Murray, Seaforths.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Captain F. S. Gillespie, Sussex.
Lieut. W. M. Bennett, Argyll and Sutherlands.
Lieut. J. A. Carnelley, Engineers.
Second-Lieut. F. T. Corscaden, Irish Rifles.
Second-Lieut. C. A. Hogg, North Staffords.
Second-Lieut. E. J. Morris, North Staffords.
Second-Lieut. G. J. Roberts, Engineers.
Second-Lieut. B. Watson, Inniskilling Fusiliers

MISSING.

Second-Lieut. C. E. Rogers, Flying Corps.
Second-Lieut. J. R Savage, Flying Corps.

WOUNDED.

Captain C. R. Beadle, Artillery.
Lieut. J. J. Banham, Sussex.
Lieut. E. J. Few, Engineers.
Lieut. R. C. Hollond, Rifle Brigade.
Lieut. C. W. Janson, Coldstreams.
Lieut. F. H. Lee, Irish Guards.
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Second-Lieut. L. A. Ireland, Sussex.
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Second-Lieut. H. D. Muggeridge, Leicesters.
Second-Lieut. W. E. Nixon, Scottish Borderers.
Second-Lieut. F. J. Nugent, Munster Fusiliers.
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Second-Lieut. T. S. Roadley, South Staffords.
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LIQUIDATION OF HOSTILE FIRMS.

NEW ORDINANCE.

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SIMLA, June 27.

The Government of India have promulgated an Ordinance dealing with the liquidation of hostile firms and the property of hostile persons, which brings the legislation in this country into close accord with the present state of the English law.

It will enable Government to wind up hostile business much on the lines of the Indian Companies and Insolvency Acts, the distribution of assets so realised being subject to special rules. The liquidator will have power to give a good title to the purchasers of the goodwill of hostile business, and to the immoveable property he by them. The new procedure represents a considerable advance from that hitherto adopted in that the initiative for liquidation will come from the liquidator and will not be left nominally with the firm itself. It will also enable hostile business dealt with, to be completely extinguished, thereby preventing any chance of their recovering from a state of suspended animation and resuming business after the conclusion of peace. The Ordinance relates to the property of hostile persons or associations not engaged in trade. The Hostile Foreigners (Trading) Order contained no provisions for dealing with non-trading persons or associations.

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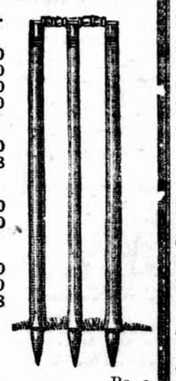

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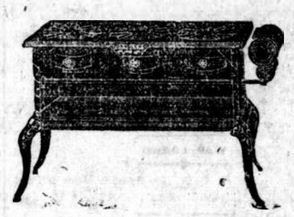

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